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NATIONAL YEAR BOOK

1911

THE NATIONAL SOCIETY

OF THE

SONS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

CONTAINING LIST OF THE GENERAL OFFICERS AND OF NATIONAL COMMITTEES FOR 1911; NATIONAL CHARTER; CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS; OFFICERS OF STATE SOCIETIES AND LOCAL CHAPTERS; PROCEEDINGS OF LOUISVILLE CONGRESS, MAY 1 TO 3, 1911; RECORDS OF MEMBERS ENROLLED FROM MAY 1, 1910, TO APRIL 30, 1911.

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MOSES GREELEY PARKER, M. D.,

PRESIDENT GENERAL.

MOSES GREELEY PARKER, M. D., elected President General at the Louisville Congress, was born in Dracut, Mass., October 12, 1842, the son of Theodore and Hannah (Greeley) Parker. He inherited from both branches of his family ancestry of the best old New England stock. Deacon Thomas Parker, upon one side, came to this country in 1635; Andrew Greeley, on the other, settled in Salisbury about five years later. In the list of descendants from these two men are such well-known names as Theodore Parker, the great preacher and reformer, and Horace Greeley, the famous editor.

Dr. Parker's great-grandfathers, Kendall Parker and Joseph Greeley, were two of the Minute Men who tramped to Lexington on the early morning of April 19, 1775; his grandfather, Peter Parker, served in the Continental Army.

Dr. Parker was educated in the district schools of his native town, at the Howe School, in Billerica, and at Phillips Academy, in Andover. He taught in the district schools of New Hampshire for three years, and then pursued medical studies at the Long Island College Hospital Medical School, in Brooklyn, N. Y., and at the Harvard Medical School. He was graduated from the latter in 1864 with the degree of M. D. In the Civil War he was assistant surgeon, serving in the field and hospital. August 9, 1864, he was assigned to the 18th Army Corps Base Hospital, where he had charge of the 1st Division, and as officer of the day he had the honor of receiving President Lincoln, General Grant, and others. He was honorably discharged from the service May 24, 1865.

Settling down to the practice of medicine at Lowell, he soon stood in the front rank of the medical profession in Middlesex County. He has always served upon the medical staff of St. John's Hospital, but after a time desired to specialize in certain branches of his profession, and, closing his office, spent the years 1873-1874 studying in London, Paris, Florence, Rome, and Vienna. Returning once more to Lowell, he opened a free dispensary and gave his expert services to the poorer classes of the city, although his private practice very soon assumed large proportions.

In 1876 he was elected president of the Lowell Medical Journal Society and a member of the International Congress of Ophthalmology, at New York. He invented a thermo-cautery that year and not long afterward patented an improvement in the process of producing and maintaining a high degree of heat by hydro-carbon. He became a member of the American Medical Association and received from the Massachusetts Charitable Mechanics' Association a diploma for an incandescent cautery.

It was during this period that the doctor became interested in the practical uses of photography. He was the first to photograph the tubercular bacillus from Dr. E. W. Cushing's microscopical specimens, making lantern slides which were shown by the latter before various medical societies; and in 1886 he was the first to show, by photography, the rotary motion in the fire of lightning. In the year following he was a member of the International Medical Congress, and in 1898-1899 he served as president of the Middlesex North District Medical Society.

Dr. Parker's early interest in electricity naturally made him one of the interested audience that gathered in 1878 when Prof. Alexander Graham Bell first exhibited his great telephonic invention in Lowell. He was quick to appreciate its importance and estimate its possibilities, and in the following year was made a director in several licensed companies, which with his assistance were, in 1883, combined into the great telephone organization of today, the New England Telephone Company. From that day until the present time he has served as a director and member of the executive committee, and has taken a personal and important part in the successful management of that corporation.

Dr. Parker has served as treasurer of the Shaw Stocking Company; director of the Aroostook Tel. Co., the Knox Tel. Co., the Granville Tel. Co.; trustee of the Lowell General Hospital since 1898; physician at the Ministry-at-Large for 10 years; president and treasurer of the Ayer Home; president of the Lowell Day Nursery Association; trustee of the Howe School, in Billerica; delegate to the National Arbitration and Peace Congress in 1907; member of the American Association for the Advancement of Science; Vice-President General and member of the Executive Committee of the National Society, Sons of the American Revolution; twice President of the Massachusetts Sons of the American Revolution; president of the Parker Historical and Genealogical Association; member of the Loyal Legion, the Bostonian Society, the Bunker Hill Monument Association, the Society of Colonial Wars, the Order of Colonial Governors, the Lincoln Farm Association, the National Geographic Society, the Boston Chamber of Commerce, Ancient York Lodge, A. F. and A. M.

JOSEPH G. BUTLER, JR.,

Vice-President General.

Joseph Green Butler, Jr., elected Vice-President General at the Louisville Congress, was born near Temperance Furnace, Mercer County, Pennsylvania, December 21, 1840, son of Joseph Green and Temperance (Orwig) Butler. He became a member of the Ohio Society on January 12, 1899, as great-grandson of Thomas Butler, who served as private in Capt. John Patterson's Company of the Second Pennsylvania Regiment, commanded by Col. Walter Stewart, in 1779. Other ancestors in the Revolution were Gottfried Orwig, member of the "Old Men's Company" of Germans; Joseph Green, a member of the Committee of Public Safety of Buffalo Township, Northumberland

County, Pennsylvania, and Col. Samuel Miles, of the Pennsylvania Rifle Regiment.

Mr. Butler was educated in the public schools of Niles, Ohio, and has been engaged in the iron and steel business for half a century. He became a resident of Youngstown, Ohio, in 1863. He has taken an active interest in the work of the Sons of the American Revolution, particularly in the encouragement of historical study by pupils of the public schools and colleges in Ohio.

He was instrumental in organizing the Nathan Hale Chapter at Youngstown, and served three years as its President. On April 19, 1910, he was elected President of the Ohio Society.

He is at present particularly interested in the preservation of the ancestral home of the family of George Washington at Sulgrave, England.

GENERAL IRVING HALE,

Vice-President General.

Irving Hale is a great-great-grandson of Col. John Hale, who was a surgeon on the staff of Colonel Prescott, and, with his son David, served at the battle of Bunker Hill.

He was born at North Bloomfield, New York, August 28, 1861, and came to Colorado with his parents with wagon and team across the plains in 1865. His father, Horace M. Hale, was President of the University of Colorado from 1887 to 1892 and one of the most distinguished educators and men of letters of the West. Irving Hale graduated from the Denver high school with the highest honors of his class in 1877.

He graduated from the U. S. Military Academy June 14, 1884, with the highest record in scholarship to this date—2,070.4 out of a possible 2,075 points. He served in the corps of engineers, 1884-1890, and in 1888-1889 as instructor in engineering at West Point.

On June 14, 1887, he married Miss Mary Virginia King, daughter of Lieut. Col. W. R. King, U. S. Engineers.

In 1889 he obtained leave of absence and superintended the construction of the first successful electric railway in Denver. In 1890 he resigned from the Army, and since 1893 has been manager of the Rocky Mountain district of the General Electric Company.

At the outbreak of the Spanish-American War he was appointed Colonel of the First Colorado Infantry, U. S. Volunteers. For gallantry and valuable engineering service in the campaign against and the capture of Manila, August 13, 1898, he was promoted to Brigadier General, U. S. Volunteers. General Hale commanded the Second Brigade, Second Division, Eighth Army Corps, in the Philippine Insurrection, participating in twenty-eight engagements, in one of which he was slightly wounded. He was recommended by General Arthur to be Major General by brevet, U. S. Volunteers, for distinguished gallantry throughout the campaign, and especially at Calumpit. On the muster-out of the volunteers, he returned with his old regiment to Colorado,

and was honorably discharged from the volunteer service October 1, 1899.

In 1897 he became a member of the Colorado Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, and for three years was its President and for several years a Vice-President.

General Hale is a member of many distinguished societies and clubs, and was honored with the degree of Electrical Engineer from the Colorado School of Mines and LL.D. from the University of Colorado. He is not only an accomplished and versatile writer on subjects of his profession in scientific and military circles, but a conspicuous figure in every movement to advance and upbuild the interests of the great West.

R. C. BALLARD THRUSTON,

Vice-President General.

R. C. Ballard Thruston, elected Vice-President General at the Toledo Congress and re-elected at the Louisville Congress, was born in Louisville, Ky., November 6, 1858; son of Andrew Jackson Ballard and his wife, Frances Ann Thruston, of that city. He occupies the unique position of being descended from those who fought on both sides in the Revolutionary War, one of his ancestors being an officer (not a Tory) in the British Army, stationed at Fort Pitt at the time of his marriage, and after the war was over he returned to England, where he died upon his estate. Six other ancestors fought in the Revolutionary War on the side of the Colonists, one of whom, at the age of eleven years and seven months, fought in his father's command in the battle of Perth Amboy, N. J.

He graduated at the Sheffield Scientific School of Yale University with the class of 1880, and after a post-graduate course of one year, first engaged in business in Louisville, but soon abandoned that life for one of scientific pursuits. In 1882 accepted a position on the Kentucky Geological Survey as Metallurgist and Assistant Geologist. Resigned in 1887 to engage in private work. In 1889 accepted a position as superintendent of the Land Bureau of the Kentucky Union Land Company. In 1895 became manager of the Big Stone Gap Iron Co. Nearly all of his time since 1882 has been devoted to geology, mine engineering, and metallurgy, especially that of fuels.

At his mother's request, in 1885 added her name of Thruston to that which he had previously borne.

He is a member of the American Association for the Advancement of Science; American Forestry Association; local historical, scientific, and social societies, and at present Governor of the Society of the Colonial Wars in the Commonwealth of Kentucky. Became a member of the Kentucky Society of the Sons of the American Revolution January 17, 1890, and has always taken a great interest in historical, patriotic, and philanthropic subjects.

GEORGE OSCAR DIX,

Vice-President General.

George Oscar Dix was born near Terre Haute, in Vigo County, Indiana, May 26, 1874. His ancestors were among the pioneers of the Wabash country, having emigrated to what is now the State of Indiana shortly after the Revolutionary War. William Thomas, one of his Revolutionary ancestors, took a large grant of land in Vigo County. This land is still in the family. Mr. Dix graduated from the Indiana Law School in 1898, since which time he has been practicing his profession in Terre Haute. He served as President of the Indiana Society, S. A. R., for the year 1910-1911.

COMMANDER JOHN H. MOORE, U. S. NAVY, RETIRED,

Vice-President General.

John Henry Moore, elected Vice-President General at the Toledo Congress and re-elected at Louisville, was born at Buffalo, N. Y., February 18, 1849. He is a member of the District of Columbia Society of the Sons of the American Revolution as lineal descendant of private Josiah Moore, Lieut. Joseph Moore, Jr., private John Middlebrook, and Lieut. Ephraim Middlebrook, of the Connecticut Militia, and of private John Nichols and Capt. Daniel Dewey, of the Massachusetts Militia. His ancestor, Thomas Moore, came from England in the ship Mary and John in 1630 and settled at Dorchester, Mass.

On June 30, 1865, he entered the United States Naval Academy as a midshipman and graduated in June, 1869. Cruised in Europe, China, Japan, South America, and West Indies, during which time he cruised around the world twice; promoted from grade to grade and on June 30, 1899, was retired upon his own application as a Commander.

In July, 1879, he organized the Navy Mutual Aid Association, which up to the present date has paid nearly one million and a half dollars to the widows of naval officers. From 1889 to 1892 was on leave from the United States Navy and represented the Hotchkiss Ordnance Company (Limited) of London in this country and South America.

On March 9, 1898, ordered Executive Officer U. S. S. Columbia, attached to the Flying Squadron, Commodore W. S. Schley, U. S. N. On May 6 the Columbia was detached from the Flying Squadron and attached to the North Patrol Squadron, Commodore J. H. Howell, U. S. N., and was engaged in patrolling the eastern coast. On June 26 the Columbia was detached from the Northern Patrol Squadron, proceeded to Key West, and joined the North Atlantic Fleet, Rear Admiral W. T. Sampson, U. S. N., and formed part of the squadron blockading Santiago de Cuba, and was present July 14, 1898, when that city capitulated to the combined army and naval forces of the United States. On July 21, left Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, in the expedition of General Miles, U. S. A., to reduce Porto Rico, and was present at the capture of Guanica, Porto Rico, July 25, and remained on the coast of Porto Rico until

after the armistice was agreed upon, and on August 16, 1898, sailed for the United States.

Upon retirement from the Navy, in 1899, Commander Moore settled in Washington, D. C., and entered the banking business. In 1903 was elected president of the Army and Navy Club; in 1904, president of the Bankers' Association of the District of Columbia; in 1906, president of the District of Columbia Society of the Sons of the American Revolution. He has been active in the work of the National Society and for four years was a member of its Executive Committee, and has been Chairman of the Committee on Information for Aliens since its organization in 1907.

A. HOWARD CLARK,

Secretary General and Registrar General.

A. Howard Clark became a member of the District of Columbia Society at its organization, was elected Assistant Registrar May 5, 1890, and was one of its Secretaries from 1891 to 1893. He was Secretary General of the National Society in 1892, and has been Registrar General since 1893. Since 1904 he has also served as Secretary General.

He was born in Boston April 13, 1850. His ancestors in the Revolution were Enoch Clark, Enoch Hall, Capt. Thomas Jenner Carnes, and Maj. Edward Carnes, of the Massachusetts Militia and Continental Army.

Mr. Clark was in the class of 1881 at Wesleyan University, Middletown, Conn., and that university gave him the honorary degree of Master of Arts in 1906.

He engaged in mercantile business in New York city from 1867 to 1875; in 1879 was assistant on the United States Fish Commission and later expert on the Tenth Census. Since 1881 he has been connected with the Smithsonian Institution as Curator of the Division of History in the National Museum and as editor of the publications of the Institution. In 1883 he served on the Executive Staff of the United States Commission at the International Fisheries Exposition in London, and was United States Expert Commissioner to the Paris Exposition of 1889, by appointment of President Cleveland, when he was honored by order of President Carnot with the decoration of Officier du Mérite Agricole. He was a member of the International Geographical Congress at Paris in 1889.

He is herald of the Baronial Order of Runnymede (descendants of sureties of the Magna Charta), Archivist General of the National Society of Americans of Royal Descent, member of the Society of Mayflower Descendants, the Society of Colonial Wars, and from 1889 to 1908 was Secretary of the American Historical Association.

JOHN HARRIS BURROUGHS,

Treasurer General.

John Harris Burroughs was born at Trenton, N. J., April 17, 1849, son of Charles Burroughs, who served as mayor of Trenton for fifteen

consecutive years—from 1832 until 1847—who was also judge of the Court of Common Pleas for Mercer County, N. J., for sixteen years. John Burroughs, the grandfather of the subject of this sketch, was active in the Revolutionary War from the latter part of 1776 until the surrender of Cornwallis at the battle of Yorktown in 1781. Mr. Burroughs is descended from John Burroughs, who settled in Newtown, Long Island, in 1653, with other English colonists. In the capacity of treasurer, vice-president, and president, he has served the Union League Club, Brooklyn, N. Y., in which city he has resided since 1865. He is President of the Empire State Society, S. A. R. He has associated with him his son, Harris S. Burroughs, dealing in commercial paper and bank stocks in New York city, in which business Mr. Burroughs has been engaged since 1874.

He was elected Treasurer General at the Baltimore Congress in 1909 and re-elected at the Toledo Congress and again at the Louisville Congress.

DAVID L. PIERSON,

Historian General.

David Lawrence Pierson, elected Historian General at the Toledo Congress and re-elected at Louisville, was born at Orange, N. J., February 3, 1865, son of Samuel Dodd Pierson and Louisa Mann. He is a direct descendant of Thomas Pierson, brother of the Rev. Abraham Pierson, who came to the banks of the Passaic River and settled the town of Newark, in 1666, with a company of Connecticut people who made the last stand for Church and State, one and inseparable, in the Colonies.

His ancestor from whom he claims membership in the Sons of the American Revolution is Caleb Pierson, a private in the Second New Jersey Rifle Corps.

Mr. Pierson is chairman of the local History Committee of the New England Society, Orange; Historian for seven years of Orange Chapter, S. A. R.; Historian of Battery A (N. G. N. J.) Veteran Association; honorary member of Uzal Dodd Post, G. A. R., and other veteran associations; member of Hope Lodge, F. and A. M. He is also President of the Old Burying Ground Association of Orange, and was instrumental in having the cemetery reclaimed and beautified after sixty years of neglect. He also formed the Revolutionary Monument Association, which resulted in the placing of the Dispatch Rider statue in the cemetery to the memory of the men and women who assisted in establishing American independence.

He is also interested in many patriotic enterprises in his community and it was through his efforts that Flag Day was publicly observed in the community, and has also started a movement for the placing of flag poles in the public parks in Essex County, N. J. He is the city editor of a local paper at East Orange.

JOHN TIMOTHY STONE, D. D.,

Chaplain General.

Rev. John Timothy Stone, D. D., elected Chaplain General at the Toledo Congress in 1910 and re-elected at Louisville, was born in Maynard, Mass., a small suburb of Boston, in 1868. He is a son of Rev. Timothy Dwight Porter Stone, a Congregational minister of New England. His mother was Susan Margaret Dickinson, of Waterford, N. Y. His grandfather was Rev. Timothy Stone, of Cornwall, Conn., and his great-grandfather was Rev. Timothy Stone, of Goshen, Conn. He is the sixth in a direct line of ministers on his paternal side. He became a member of the Maryland Society in 1908 as descendant of Timothy Dickinson, who served as private in the Massachusetts Militia and Continental troops, and upon his removal to Chicago was transferred to the Illinois Society.

Dr. Stone's early training was in Albany, N. Y., where he graduated from the high school in 1886. He graduated from Amherst College, class of 1891, as class orator and prominent in athletic interests. He studied theology in Auburn, N. Y., at the Presbyterian Theological Seminary, graduating in 1894.

His first charge was the Olivet Presbyterian Church, of Utica, where he remained a little less than three years, leaving this work to accept the call of the Presbyterian Church, of Cortland, N. Y. In 1900 he succeeded Rev. Dr. Maltbie D. Babcock as pastor of the Brown Memorial Presbyterian Church, of Baltimore, where he remained until the spring of 1909, leaving there to accept the repeated call of the Fourth Presbyterian Church, on the North Side of Chicago.

He was first given the degree of Doctor of Divinity by the University of Maryland, and later by his alma mater, Amherst, in June, 1909.

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GEN. HORACE PORTER, LL. D., of New York. Elected April 30, 1892; re-elected 1893, 1894, 1895, and 1896.

GEN. ALBERT M. WINN, Past President of California Society; enrolled in list of Presidents General by vote of Congress, April 30, 1892. Died August 26, 1883.

HON. EDWIN SHEPARD BARRETT, of Massachusetts. Elected April 30, 1897; re-elected 1898. Died December 21, 1898.

HON. FRANKLIN MURPHY, of New Jersey. Succeeded to office on death of Hon. Edwin Shepard Barrett, 1898; elected May 2, 1899.

GEN. JOSEPH C. BRECKINRIDGE, U. S. A., of Washington, D. C., Elected May 1, 1900.

HON. WALTER SETH LOGAN, of New York. Elected May 1, 1901. Died July 19, 1906.

HON. EDWIN WARFIELD, of Maryland. Elected May 1, 1902.

GEN. EDWIN S. GREELEY, of Connecticut. Elected May 1, 1903.

HON. JAMES DENTON HANCOCK, of Pennsylvania. Elected June 16, 1904.

GEN. FRANCIS HENRY APPLETON, of Massachusetts. Elected May 3, 1905.

HON. CORNELIUS AMORY PUGSLEY, of New York. Elected May 1, 1906.

NELSON A. MCCLARY, of Illinois. Elected June 4, 1907.

HON. HENRY STOCKBRIDGE, of Maryland. Elected May 1, 1908.

HON. MORRIS B. BEARDSLEY, of Connecticut. Elected May 1, 1909.

WILLIAM ALLEN MARBLE, of New York. Elected May 3, 1910.

MOSES GREELEY PARKER, M. D., of Massachusetts. Elected May 3, 1911.

NATIONAL CHARTER.

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FIFTY-NINTH CONGRESS

OF THE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA;

At the First Session,

Begun and held at the City of Washington on Monday, the fourth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and five.

AN ACT

TO INCORPORATE THE NATIONAL SOCIETY OF THE SONS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That Francis Henry Appleton, of Massachusetts; Lucius P. Deming, of Connecticut; William Seward Webb, of Vermont; Horace Porter, of New York; Joseph C. Breckinridge, of Washington, District of Columbia; Franklin Murphy, of New Jersey; Walter S. Logan, of New York; Edwin Warfield, of Maryland; Edwin S. Greeley, of Connecticut; James D. Hancock, of Pennsylvania; Morris B. Beardsley, of Connecticut; John C. Lewis, of Kentucky; Henry Stockbridge, of Maryland; Nelson A. McClary, of Illinois; A. Howard Clark, of Washington, District of Columbia; Isaac W. Birdseye, of Connecticut; William K. Wickes, of New York; J. W. Atwood, of Ohio; J. W. Whiting, of Alabama; Ricardo E. Miner, of Arizona; Joseph M. Hill, of Arkansas; Alexander G. Eells, of California; Clarkson N. Guyer, of Colorado; Jonathan Trumbull, of Connecticut; Thomas F. Bayard, of Delaware; William H. Bayly, of Washington, District of Columbia; William S. Keyser, of Florida; Charles M. Cooke, of Hawaii; Inman H. Fowler, of Indiana; Eugene Secor, of Iowa; John M. Meade, of Kansas; Peter F. Pescud, of Louisiana; Waldo Pettengill, of Maine; James D. Iglehart, of Maryland; Moses G. Parker, of Massachusetts; Rufus W. Clark, of Michigan; James C. Haynes, of Minnesota; Ashley Cabell, of Missouri; Ogden A. Southmayd, of Montana; Amos Field, of Nebraska; Daniel C. Roberts, of

New Hampshire; J. Franklin Fort, of New Jersey; William A. Marble, of New York; Isaac F. Mack, of Ohio; Henry H. Edwards, of Oklahoma; Thomas M. Anderson, of Oregon; William L. Jones, of Pennsylvania; John E. Studley, of Rhode Island; Theodore G. Carter, of South Dakota; J. A. Cartwright, of Tennessee; I. M. Standifer, of Texas; Fred A. Hale, of Utah; Henry D. Holton, of Vermont; Lunsford L. Lewis, of Virginia; Cornelius H. Hanford, of Washington; J. Franklin Pierce, of Wisconsin; Trueman G. Avery, of New York; William W. J. Warren, of New York; Henry V. A. Joslin, of Rhode Island; John Paul Earnest, of Washington, District of Columbia; A. S. Hubbard, of California, and all such other persons as may from time to time be associated with them, and their successors, are hereby constituted a body corporate and politic, in the city of Washington, in the District of Columbia, by the name of the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution.

SEC. 2. That the purposes and objects of said corporation are declared to be patriotic, historical, and educational, and shall include those intended or designed to perpetuate the memory of the men who, by their services or sacrifices during the war of the American Revolution, achieved the independence of the American people; to unite and promote fellowship among their descendants; to inspire them and the community at large with a more profound reverence for the principles of the government founded by our forefathers; to encourage historical research in relation to the American Revolution; to acquire and preserve the records of the individual services of the patriots of the war, as well as documents, relics, and landmarks; to mark the scenes of the Revolution by appropriate memorials; to celebrate the anniversaries of the prominent events of the war and of the Revolutionary period; to foster true patriotism; to maintain and extend the institutions of American freedom, and to carry out the purposes expressed in the preamble to the Constitution of our country and the injunctions of Washington in his farewell address to the American people.

SEC. 3. That said corporation shall have power to receive, purchase, hold, sell, and convey real and personal estate, so far only as may be necessary or convenient for its lawful purposes, to an amount not exceeding at any one time in the aggregate five hundred thousand dollars; to sue and be sued, complain and defend in any court; to adopt a common seal, and to alter the same at pleasure; to make and adopt a constitution, by-laws, rules, and regulations for admission, government, suspension, and expulsion of its members, and from time to time to alter and repeal such constitution, by-laws, rules, and regulations, and to adopt others in their places; to provide for the election of its officers and to define their duties; to provide for State Societies or Chapters with rules for their conduct, and to regulate and provide for the management, safe-keeping, and protection of its property and funds; *Provided always,* That such constitution, by-laws, rules, and regulations be not inconsistent with the laws of the United States or any of the States thereof.

SEC. 4. That the property and affairs of said corporation shall be managed by not more than sixty nor less than forty trustees, who shall be elected annually at such time as shall be fixed in the by-laws, and at least one trustee shall be elected annually from a list of nominees to be made by each of the State Societies and submitted to this Society at least thirty days before the annual meeting, in accordance with general provisions regulating such nominations as may be adopted by this Society.

SEC. 5. That the first meeting of this corporation shall be held on a call issued by any fifteen of the above-named corporators by a written notice signed by them, stating the time and place of meeting, addressed to each of the corporators personally named herein and deposited in the post-office at least five days before the day of meeting.

SEC. 6. That this charter shall take effect upon its being accepted by a majority vote of the corporators named herein who shall be present at said meeting, or at any other meeting specially called for that purpose; and notice of such acceptance shall be given by said corporation by causing a certificate to that effect signed by its President and Secretary to be filed in the office of the Secretary of State.

SEC. 7. That Congress reserves the right to alter, amend, or repeal this act.

J. G. CANNON,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.
CHAS. W. FAIRBANKS,
Vice-President of the United States and President of the Senate.

Approved, June 9, 1906.
THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

CONSTITUTION

OF

The National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution

(Adopted at the Denver Congress, June 3, 1907; amended at Toledo Congress, May 2, 1910, and at Louisville Congress, May 2, 1911)

Article I.—Name.

The name of this organization shall be "The National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution."

Article II.—Purposes and Objects.

The purposes and objects of this Society are declared to be patriotic, historical, and educational, and shall include those intended or designed to perpetuate the memory of the men who, by their services or sacrifices during the war of the American Revolution, achieved the independence of the American people; to unite and promote fellowship among their descendants; to inspire them and the community at large with a more profound reverence for the principles of the Government founded by our forefathers; to encourage historical research in relation to the American Revolution; to acquire and preserve the records of the individual services of the patriots of the war, as well as documents, relics, and landmarks; to mark the scenes of the Revolution by appropriate memorials; to celebrate the anniversaries of the prominent events of the war and of the Revolutionary period; to foster true patriotism; to maintain and extend the institutions of American freedom, and to carry out the purposes expressed in the preamble of the Constitution of our country and the injunctions of Washington in his farewell address to the American people.

Article III.—Membership.

Section 1. Any man shall be eligible to membership in the Society who, being of the age of twenty-one years or over, and a citizen of good repute in the community, is the lineal descendant of an ancestor who was at all times unfailing in his loyalty to, and rendered active service in, the cause of American Independence, either as an officer, soldier, seaman, marine, militiaman or minute man, in the armed forces of the Continental Congress, or of any one of the several Colonies or States, or as a signer of the Declaration of Independence; or as a member of a Committee of Safety or Correspondence; or as a member of any Con-

tinental, Provincial, or Colonial Congress or Legislature; or as a recognized patriot who performed actual service by overt acts of resistance to the authority of Great Britain.

SECTION 2. No one shall be entitled to membership in any State Society who has previously been a member of any other State Society and dropped for the non-payment of dues, until the indebtedness of such individual to the first Society shall have been adjusted.

SECTION 3. Applications for membership shall be made to any State Society, in duplicate, upon blank forms prescribed by the Board of Trustees, and shall in each case set forth the name, occupation and residence of the applicant, line of descent, and the name, residence and services of his ancestor or ancestors in the Revolution, from whom he derives eligibility.

The applicant shall make oath that the statements of his application are true, to the best of his knowledge and belief.

Upon the approval of an application by the State Society, to which it is made, one copy shall be transmitted to the Registrar General of the National Society, who shall examine further the eligibility of the applicant. If satisfied that the member is not eligible, he shall return the application for correction.

Until the State Society shall satisfy the Registrar General of the eligibility of such applicant, his name shall not be placed on the roll of membership.

SECTION 4. The official designation of the members of The National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution shall be "Compatriots."

ARTICLE IV.—NATIONAL AND STATE SOCIETIES.

SECTION 1. The National Society shall embrace all the members of the State Societies of the Sons of the American Revolution now existing or which may hereafter be established under this Constitution.

SECTION 2. Whenever in any State or Territory in which a State Society does not exist, or in which a State Society has become inactive, or failed for two years to pay its annual dues to the National Society, fifteen or more persons duly qualified for membership in this Society may associate themselves as a State Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, and organize in accordance with this Constitution, they may be admitted by the Board of Trustees to the National Society as "The —— Society of the Sons of the American Revolution," and shall thereafter have exclusive local jurisdiction in the State or Territory or in the District in which they are organized, subject to the provisions of this Constitution, but this provision shall not be construed so as to exclude the admission of candidates residing in other States.

SECTION 3. Each State Society shall judge of the qualifications of its members and of those proposed for membership, subject to the provisions of this Constitution, and shall regulate all matters pertaining to its own affairs. It shall have authority to establish local Chapters within its own jurisdiction, and to endow the Chapters with such power as it may

deem proper, not inconsistent with the charter of the National Society or with this Constitution. It shall have authority, after due notice and impartial trial, to expel any member who, by conduct unbecoming a gentleman, shall render himself unworthy to remain a member of the Society.

SECTION 4. Each State Society shall submit to the Annual Congress of the National Society a report, setting forth by name the additions, transfers and deaths, and any other changes in the membership and the progress of the State Society during the preceding year, and making such suggestions as it shall deem proper for the promotion of the objects of the National Society.

SECTION 5. Whenever a member in good standing in his Society shall change his residence from the jurisdiction of the State Society of which he is a member to that of another, he shall be entitled, if he so elects, to a certificate of honorable demission from his own State Society, in order that he may be transferred to the State Society to whose jurisdiction he shall have changed his residence; provided, that his membership shall continue in the former until he shall have been elected a member of the latter.

Each State Society shall, however, retain full control of the admission of members by transfer.

SECTION 6. Whenever the word "State" occurs in this Constitution, it shall be held to include within its meaning the District of Columbia and the Territories of the United States.

SECTION 7. A Society may be formed in any foreign country by fifteen or more persons who are eligible to membership under this Constitution, which shall bear the same relation to the National organization as the State Society, subject to the provisions of this Constitution.

ARTICLE V.—OFFICERS AND TRUSTEES.

SECTION 1. The General Officers of the National Society shall be a President General, five Vice-Presidents General, the order of seniority among whom shall be determined by lot at the time of their election, a Secretary General, Treasurer General, Registrar General, Historian General, and Chaplain General, who shall be elected by ballot by a vote of a majority of the members present and entitled to vote at the annual meeting of the Congress of the National Society, and shall hold office for one year and until their successors shall be elected.

SECTION 2. The General Officers provided for in section 1, together with one member from each State Society, shall constitute the Board of Trustees of the National Society. Such Trustee from each of the several State Societies shall be elected annually at the Congress of the National Society, upon the nomination, or from a list of nominees, to be made by each of the State Societies and submitted to the National Society by the filing thereof with the Secretary of the National Society at least thirty days before the meeting of the Annual Congress of the National Society. And in the event that any one or more of the State

Societies shall omit or neglect to make such nomination or submit said list of nominees, by the time herein required, then the President of the State Society so in default, shall, *virtute officii,* be chosen as and become the representative of his State Society upon said Board.

Section 3. The Board of Trustees shall have charge of, and be charged with the care and custody of all property belonging to the National Society, and to that end shall be vested with the powers conferred by section 3 of the Act of Incorporation of the National Society: *Provided, however,* That it shall not have the power to sell, convey, or in any wise encumber any real estate belonging to the Society without the assent of three-fourths of the members of said Board. The Board of Trustees shall also have authority to adopt and promulgate the By-Laws of the National Society, to prescribe the duties of the General Officers, to provide the seal, to designate and make regulations for the issue of the insignia, and to transact the general business of the National Society during the intervals between the sessions of the Congress.

Meetings of the Board of Trustees may be held at the call of the President General, or in case of his absence or inability, at the call of the Senior Vice-President General, certified by the Secretary General. Meetings shall be called at the request of seven members. At such meetings seven shall constitute a quorum.

Section 4. An executive committee of seven, consisting of the President General as chairman, and six members to be nominated by him and approved by the Board of Trustees, shall, in the interim between the meetings of the Board, transact such business as may be delegated to it by a Congress of the Society or the Board of Trustees.

Article VI.—Dues.

Each State Society shall pay annually to the Treasurer General, to defray the expenses of the National Society, fifty cents for each active member thereof, unless intermitted by the National Congress.

All such dues shall be paid on or before the first day of April in each year for the ensuing year, in order to secure representation in the Congress of the National Society.

Article VII.—Meetings and Elections.

Section 1. The Annual Congress of the National Society for the election of the General Officers and for the transaction of business shall be held on the third Monday of May in each year. The place of such meeting shall be designated by the Board of Trustees.

Section 2. Special meetings of the Congress may be called by the President General, and shall be called by him when directed so to do by the Board of Trustees, or whenever requested in writing so to do by at least five State Societies, on giving thirty days' notice, specifying the time and place of such meeting and the business to be transacted.

Section 3. The following shall be members of all such annual or special meetings of the Congress, and shall be entitled to vote therein:

(1) All the General Officers and the ex-Presidents General of the National Society.

(2) The members of the Board of Trustees and the President or Senior Vice-President of each State Society.

(3) One delegate at large from each State Society.

(4) One delegate from every fifty members of the Society within a State and for a fraction of twenty-five or over.

SECTION 4. After the adjournment of the Eighteenth Annual Congress of this Society, State Societies shall be represented at meetings of the National Society only by members of their own State Society, either duly elected, or who in the absence of regularly elected delegates, may be chosen by the regularly elected attending delegates of such State Society from the members of such State Society who may be present at any meeting of the National Society.

ARTICLE VIII.—PERMANENT FUND.

SECTION 1. There shall be created and maintained a Permanent Fund of the Society, the income or interest from which shall be covered into the general treasury of the Society and available for the general purposes of the Society, but the principal of which shall be maintained intact, and shall only be used or diminished upon the unanimous recommendation of the Executive Committee, approved by the Board of Trustees, and ratified by a four-fifths vote of the delegates present at the annual or special Congress to which such recommendation of the Executive Committee shall be reported.

SECTION 2. The Permanent Fund shall be composed of all legacies or donations to the Society, where no other application of the funds is designated by the testator or donor, all commissions received from the sales of badges, rosettes and ribbon, and such sum or sums as may from time to time by the Executive Committee be transferred to such fund from the general funds of the Society.

SECTION 3. The permanent fund shall be invested in securities authorized to be held by Savings Banks in Massachusetts, Connecticut, or New York, and any premium paid in purchasing such securities shall be repaid from the first income received.

ARTICLE IX.—AMENDMENTS.

This Constitution may be altered or amended at any meeting of the Congress of the National Society, provided that sixty days' notice of the proposed alterations or amendments, which shall first have been recommended by a State Society, or by a prior Congress, or by the Board of Trustees, or by the Executive Committee of the National Society, shall be sent by the Secretary General to the President of each State Society.

A vote of two-thirds of those present shall be necessary to their adoption.

ARTICLE X.

This Constitution shall take effect upon its adoption.

BY-LAWS

OF

The National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution

(Adopted at Denver Congress, June 3, 1907)

Article I.—Election of Officers.

All nominations of General Officers shall be made from the floor, and the election shall be by ballot. A majority shall elect. The nominations may be acted upon directly or may be referred to a committee to examine and report.

Article II.—Officers.

The duties of the General Officers shall be such as usually appertain to their offices, and they shall have such other duties as are hereinafter imposed or shall be delegated to them by an annual Congress or by the Board of Trustees.

They shall report at the annual meeting, and at such other times as they may be required to do so by the Board of Trustees.

Article III.—President General.

Section 1. The President General, in addition to his general duties, shall be *ex officio* chairman of the Board of Trustees, and of the Executive Committee, and a member of every other Committee.

Section 2. At each annual meeting he shall appoint the following standing committees:

Committee on Auditing and Finance.
Committee on Credentials.
Memorial Committee.
Committee on Organization.
Committee on Education.

The duties of the above committees shall be such as usually pertain to committees of like character, and such as may be defined by the Board of Trustees.

Article IV.—Vice-Presidents General.

Section 1. In the absence of the President General, the Senior Vice-President General present shall preside at the Annual Meeting.

Section 2. In the prolonged absence or inability to act of the President General, the executive authority shall be vested in the Vice-Presidents General in order of precedence.

Article V.—Secretary General.

The Secretary General, in addition to his general duties, shall have charge of the seal, and give due notice of all meetings of the National Society or Board of Trustees. He shall give due notice to all General Officers and State Societies of all votes, orders and proceedings affecting or appertaining to their duties. He shall distribute all pamphlets, circulars, rosettes, and supplies, as directed by the Board of Trustees.

Article VI.—Treasurer General.

Section 1. The Treasurer General shall collect and receive the funds and securities of the National Society. He shall deposit the same to the credit of the "Society of the Sons of the American Revolution," and shall draw them thence for the use of the National Society, as directed by it or by the Board of Trustees, upon the order of the President General, countersigned by the Secretary General. His accounts shall be audited by a committee to be appointed at the Annual Meeting.

Section 2. He shall give bond for the safe custody and application of the funds, the cost of such bond to be borne by the National Society.

Article VII.—Registrar General.

The Registrar General shall keep a register of the names and dates of the election, resignation or death of all members of the several State Societies, and shall have the care and custody of all duplicate applications for membership. He shall issue upon the requisition of the Secretary or Registrar of the several State Societies certificates of membership and insignia to every member entitled thereto, through such Secretary or Registrar.

Article VIII.—Historian General.

The Historian General shall have the custody of all the historical and biographical collections of which the National Society may become possessed and shall catalogue and arrange the same, and shall place the same in a fireproof repository for preservation.

Article IX.—Chaplain General.

The Chaplain General shall be a regularly ordained minister, and shall open and close all general meetings of the National Society with the services usual and proper on such occasions.

Article X.—State Societies.

Every State Society shall—

(1) Notify the Secretary General of the election and appointment of all officers, nominees for Board of Trustees, and delegates.

(2) Pay to the Treasurer General on the first day of March or within thirty days thereafter, the sum of fifty cents for each active member thereof.

(3) Transmit to the Registrar General duplicate applications of all accepted members, and notify him of the resignation or death of all members thereof.

Article XI.—Board of Trustees.

Section 1. The Board of Trustees shall prepare and carry out plans for promoting the objects and growth of the Society; shall generally superintend its interests, and shall execute such other duties as shall be committed to it at any meeting of the National Society. It shall have charge of the printing of the Diploma and the manufacturing of the Insignia, and shall determine the price at which the same shall be issued.

Section 2. It shall have the authority to admit or reorganize as a State Society any association of fifteen or more persons duly qualified for membership in the Society.

Section 3. It shall have power to fill any vacancy occurring among the General Officers, and an officer so elected shall act until the following annual election and until his successor shall be elected.

Section 4. It shall have authority to make, alter, and amend the By-Laws as hereinafter provided.

Section 5. The President General may call meetings of the Board of Trustees at any time he may deem necessary, and shall call such meetings upon the written request of any five members thereof, provided that of any meeting, other than such as may be called during the session or immediately upon the adjournment of an annual or special Congress of the National Society, not less than five days' notice of the time and place of such meeting shall be given.

Article XII.—Executive Committee.

A meeting of the Executive Committee may be called at any time by the President General, and such meeting shall be called upon the written request of three members thereof. It shall be the duty of the Executive Committee to exercise the powers and perform the duties committed to it by any annual or special Congress or by the Board of Trustees; to control and supervise all arrangements for the holding of the annual or any special Congress, and the social and other functions connected therewith; it shall, upon the request of the proper committee of the National Society or of the Board of Trustees, assist in the organization of new State Societies, and increasing the membership of weak State Societies, and for these purposes may incur its necessary expenses, limited to such

amounts as may be in the Treasury unappropriated, and not required for the current expenses of the National Society during the year.

Article XIII.—Seal.

The seal of the Society shall be two and three-eighths of an inch in diameter, charged with the figure of a minute man, grasping a musket in his right hand, and surrounded by a constellation of thirteen stars, who shall be depicted in the habit of a husbandman of the period of the American Revolution, and as in the act of deserting the plough for the service of his country; the whole encircled by a band three-eighths of an inch wide, within which shall appear the legend, "National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, organized April 30, 1889."

Article XIV.—Certificates.

All members of this Society, wherever admitted, shall be entitled to a certificate of membership duly attested by the President General, Secretary General, and Registrar General, countersigned by the President, Secretary, and Registrar of the State Society to which such member shall have been admitted.

Article XV.—Insignia.

The insignia of the Society shall comprise (1) a cross surmounted by an eagle in gold, (2) a rosette.

Section 1. The cross shall be of silver, with four arms, covered with white enamel and eight gold points, same size as a Chevalier's Cross of the Legion of Honor of France, with a gold medallion in the center bearing on the obverse a bust of Washington in profile, and on the reverse the figure of a minute man, surrounded by a ribbon enameled blue, with the motto "Libertas et Patria" on the obverse, and the legend "Sons of the American Revolution" on the reverse, both in letters of gold. The cross shall be surmounted by an eagle in gold and the whole decoration suspended from a ring of gold by a ribbon of deep blue, with white and buff edges, and may be worn by any member of the Society on ceremonial occasions only, and shall be carried on the left breast, or at the collar if an officer or Past President General of the National Society, or the President, active or past, of a State Society.

Section 2. The rosette shall be seven-sixteenths of an inch in diameter, of usual pattern, displaying the colors of the Society—blue, white, and buff—and may be worn by all members at discretion in the upper left-hand buttonhole of the coat.

Article XVI.—Indebtedness.

No debts shall be contracted on behalf of the National Society. Every obligation for the payment of money, except checks drawn against deposits, executed in the name or on behalf of the National Society shall be null and void.

ARTICLE XVII.—ORDER OF BUSINESS OF THE ANNUAL CONGRESS.

1. Calling the Congress to order by the President General.
2. Opening prayer by the Chaplain General.
3. Appointment of a Committee on Credentials.
4. Remarks by the President General on condition and needs of the Society.
5. Report of Committee on Credentials.
6. Reading of minutes of the last Congress.
7. Report of Board of Trustees.
8. Reports of General Officers.
9. Reports of standing committees.
10. Reports of special committees.
11. Reports of State Societies.
12. Old and unfinished business.
13. New business, including election of officers and Trustees.
14. Adjournment.
15. *Provided,* That for a special purpose the Congress may, by a vote of two-thirds of those present and voting, suspend the above order of business.

ARTICLE XVIII.—AMENDMENTS.

These By-Laws may be altered or amended by a vote of three-fourths of the members present at any meeting of the Board of Trustees, notice thereof having been given at a previous meeting.

Society of the Sons of the American Revolution

THIS · CERTIFIES · THAT

IS A MEMBER OF THE

MASSACHUSETTS SOCIETY

By descent from _____

Date of admission _____

_____ President General

_____ Secretary General

_____ Registrar General

_____ State President

_____ State Secretary

_____ State Registrar

NATIONAL N° _____

STATE N° _____

OFFICERS OF STATE SOCIETIES AND CHAPTERS.

ALABAMA SOCIETY.

30 Members.

Organized June 27, 1903. Admitted into National Society November 18, 1903.

Officers elected May 10, 1909.

President, Wm. Frye Tebbetts, 32 Concepcion St.....Mobile
Vice-President, Myron Titus Sprague, 107 Rapier St.....Mobile
Vice-President, Charles H. Shawhan, 104 Dauphin St.....Mobile
Vice-President, Robert Leroy Douglass, 54 St. Francis St.....Mobile
Secretary-Treasurer, Alfred Edgar White.....Mobile
Registrar, Dr. Wm. H. Oates, 59 No. Concepcion St.....Mobile

ARIZONA SOCIETY.

51 Members.

Organized June 13, 1896. Annual meeting February 22.

Officers elected February 22, 1911.

President, Howard S. Reed.....Phœnix
Vice-President, Dr. Mark A. Rodgers.....Tucson
Secretary, Clay F. Leonard.....Phœnix
Treasurer, Lloyd B. Christy.....Phœnix
Registrar, Prosper P. Parker.....Phœnix
Historian, Dr. Charles A. Van der Veer.....Phœnix
Chaplain, Rev. J. W. Atwood.....Phœnix

ARKANSAS SOCIETY.

29 Members.

Organized April 29, 1889. Annual meeting February 22.

Officers elected February 22, 1911.

President, Frank W. Rawles.....Little Rock
Vice-President, Frank W. Tucker.....Little Rock
Secretary-Registrar, Fay Hempstead.....Little Rock
Treasurer, Philander Keep Roots.....Little Rock
Chaplain, Arthur E. Woodward.....Little Rock

CALIFORNIA SOCIETY.

431 Members.

Instituted October 22, 1875, as Sons of Revolutionary Sires. Constitution adopted August 7, 1876. Name changed to Sons of the American Revolution March 22, 1890. Annual meeting April 19.

Officers elected April 19, 1911.

President, O. D. Baldwin, 1000 Green St.....San Francisco
Senior Vice-President, A. J. Vining, 2134 Pine St.....San Francisco
Junior Vice-Pres., H. C. Capwell, 12th and Washington Sts....Oakland
Secretary, Edwin Bonnell, 376 Sutter St.....San Francisco
Registrar, Col. A. S. Hubbard, 2135 Sutter St.....San Francisco
Treasurer, Col. C. S. Scott, 2117 Hyde St.....San Francisco
Marshal, F. W. Cushing, U. S. Custom House.....Oakland
Historian, T. A. Perkins, Mills Building.....San Francisco

Chapter Officers.

LOS ANGELES CHAPTER.

President, Gen. J. G. Chandler, 120 South Grand Ave.; Vice-President, Dr. Norman Bridge, Temple Auditorium; Secretary and Treasurer, H. R. Warren, 545 Douglas Building.

SAN DIEGO CHAPTER, NO. 2.

President, W. J. Mossholder, First Nat'l Bank Bldg.; Vice-Presidents, A. E. Dodson, Franklin P. Reed; Treasurer, John P. Burt; Marshal, Charles A. Josslyn; Historian, E. M. Burbeck; Chaplain, Dr. A. Judson Gray; Secretary, John R. Berry.

COLORADO SOCIETY.

257 Members.

Organized July 4, 1896. Annual meeting February 22.

Officers elected February 22, 1911.

President, Gen. John Chase, 923 Corona St.....Denver
Vice-President, Floyd D. Hylton.....Fort Collins
Vice-President, Victor E. Keyes.....Greeley
Vice-President, E. W. Milligan, 1346 Clayton St.....Denver
Vice-President, Wardner Williams, Equitable Building.....Denver
Vice-President, Wendell B. Price.....Colorado Springs
Secretary and Registrar, W. W. Kirby, 205 Colburn Bldg.....Denver
Treasurer, Walter D. Wynkoop, Colorado Telephone Co.....Denver
Historian, E. V. Dunklee, University of Colorado.....Boulder
Chaplain, Rev. Jesse Penney Martin, 3144 Humboldt St.....Denver

Chapter Officers.

COLORADO SPRINGS CHAPTER. ORGANIZED APRIL 27, 1908.

President, Arthur Cornforth; First Vice-President, James P. Barnes; Second Vice-President, S. L. Caldwell; Chaplain, Fred S. Tucker; Secretary, O. E. Collins; Treasurer, L. H. Gowdy; Historian, Lucius H. Rouse; Registrar, Merton E. Stubbs.

GREELEY CHAPTER. ORGANIZED JUNE 6, 1908.

President, Col. C. A. White; Vice-President, J. T. Jacobs; Secretary and Treasurer, C. E. Littell.

DENVER CHAPTER. ORGANIZED FEBRUARY 22, 1909.

President, Frank McLaughlin; Vice-President, John T. Holbrook; Secretary, James S. Hadley; Treasurer, W. D. Wynkoop; Historian, Sidney E. Bennett; Chaplain, Rev. Elmer E. Higley.

FORT COLLINS CHAPTER. ORGANIZED APRIL 15, 1911.

President, G. C. McCormick; Vice-President, Orlando Flower; Secretary and Registrar, W. H. Russel; Treasurer, W. R. Fuller; Historian, L. M. Taylor.

CONNECTICUT SOCIETY.

1,103 MEMBERS.

Organized April 2, 1889. Annual meeting May 10, to commemorate the capture of Fort Ticonderoga by a Connecticut expedition.

Officers elected May 10, 1911.

President, Dr. George C. F. Williams.....Hartford
Vice-President, Isaac W. Brooks.....Torrington
Secretary, Charles G. Stone, P. O. Box 847.....Hartford
Treasurer, Henry C. Sherwood.....Bridgeport
Registrar, Frederick Bostwick, 144 Grove St.....New Haven
Historian, George F. Burgess.....New Haven
Chaplain, Rev. John De Peu.....Bridgeport
Necrologist, Capt. Henry R. Jones.....New Hartford

Chapter Officers.

GENERAL DAVID HUMPHREYS BRANCH, NO. 1, NEW HAVEN.

President, William S. Wells; Vice-President, Gen. Edward E. Bradley; Secretary and Treasurer, Judge Ernest C. Simpson; Chaplain, Rev. A. P. Stokes; Historian, George F. Burgess.

CAPTAIN JOHN COUCH BRANCH, NO. 2, MERIDEN.

President, H. Wales Lines; Vice-President, Walter Hubbard; Secretary and Treasurer, Geo. M. Curtis; Historian, Judge J. P. Platt; Chaplain, Rev. W. S. Perkins.

GENERAL SILLIMAN BRANCH, NO. 3, BRIDGEPORT. ORGANIZED 1893.

President, O. H. Brothwell; Vice-President, Edw. J. Morgan; Secretary, F. A. Doolittle; Registrar, W. A. Barnes; Treasurer, Geo. C. Peet; Historian, Dr. N. E. Wordin; Chaplain, Rev. John De Peu.

ISRAEL PUTNAM BRANCH, NO. 4, NORWICH.

Secretary, Henry F. Parker.

NORWALK BRANCH, NO. 5.

Secretary, Charles A. Quintard.

NATHAN HALE BRANCH, NO. 6, NEW LONDON.

President, P. Leroy Harwood; Secretary, Carl J. Viets; Treasurer, Alfred Coit.

THE COLONEL JEREMIAH WADSWORTH BRANCH, NO. 7, HARTFORD.

President, Dr. George C. F. Williams; Secretary and Treasurer, Charles G. Stone; Historian, Frank B. Gay; Chaplain, Rev. William De Loss Love, D. D.

DELAWARE SOCIETY.

45 MEMBERS.

Organized January 29, 1889. Annual meeting December 7, to commemorate the ratification of the Federal Constitution by Delaware.

Officers elected April 19, 1911.

President, Col. George A. Elliott, Equitable Bldg.....Wilmington
Vice-President, Thomas F. Bayard, 115 Dupont Bldg.....Wilmington
Vice-President, James H. Hughes.....Dover
Vice-President, Edwin C. Marshall.....Lewes
Secretary-Treas., Col. Lewis B. Morrow, 710 Franklin St...Wilmington
Registrar-Historian, George W. Marshall, M. D.....Milford
Chaplain, Rev. Joseph Brown Turner.....Dover

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA SOCIETY.

(Washington, D. C.)

490 Members.

Organized April 19, 1890. Annual meeting February 22.

Officers elected February 22, 1911.

President, Col. William B. Thompson, Munsey Bldg.....Washington
Vice-President, W. V. Cox, Second National Bank.....Washington
Vice-President, Wallace D. McClean, Union Trust Bldg...Washington
Vice-President, Col. Gilbert C. Kniffin, Pension Office.....Washington
Secretary, Paul Brockett, Smithsonian Institution.....Washington
Treasurer, Philip F. Larner, 918 F St. N. W.....Washington
Registrar, Albert D. Spangler, 72 S St. N. W.....Washington
Assistant Registrar, John E. Fenwick.....Kensington, Md.
Historian, Prof. Selden M. Ely, 50 S St. N. W.....Washington
Librarian, Charles W. Stewart, Navy Dept.....Washington
Chaplain, Rev. Thomas S. Childs, D. D.....Chevy Chase, Md.

FLORIDA SOCIETY.

35 Members.

Organized March 14, 1896. Annual meeting February 22, to commemorate the birthday of Washington.

Officers elected April 21, 1911.

President, John H. Cross.....Pensacola
Vice-President, Frank B. Bruce.....Pensacola
Secretary, R. E. Lee Cresap.....Pensacola
Treasurer-Registrar, F. F. Bingham.....Pensacola
Chaplain, Right Rev. E. G. Weed.....Pensacola

SOCIETY IN FRANCE.

15 Members.

Organized in Paris, France, September 16, 1897.

Officers.

President, General Horace Porter, 277 Madison Ave.....New York
Vice-President, Gaston de Sahune de la Fayette.....Paris
Treasurer, J. D. Stickney.....Paris
Registrar, Col. Charles Chaillé-Long.....Washington, D. C.

HAWAIIAN SOCIETY.

101 MEMBERS.

Organized June 17, 1896. Annual meeting June 17, to commemorate the Battle of Bunker Hill.

Officers elected June 20, 1910.

President, Dr. Charles Bryant Cooper, 1141 Alaska St.....Honolulu
Vice-President, Charles H. Dickey, 35 South King St.....Honolulu
Secretary, Perley Leonard Horne, Kamehameha School.....Honolulu
Treasurer, Fred D. Lowrey, 177 South King St.....Honolulu
Registrar, John Effinger, P. O. Box 39.....Honolulu

IDAHO SOCIETY.

32 MEMBERS.

Organized April 8, 1909.

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Officers elected February 22, 1911.

President, M. W. Wood, Lieut.-Col. U. S. Army (retired).....Boise
Vice-President, D. W. Church.....Pocatello
Vice-President, F. S. Harding.....Boise
Vice-President, C. A. Hastings.....Lewiston
Secretary-Treasurer, Harry Keyser, 332 Sonna Bldg.....Boise
Registrar, W. H. Gibson.....Boise
Historian, H. L. Chamberlain.....Boise
Chaplain, W. S. Hawkes.....Boise

ILLINOIS SOCIETY.

626 MEMBERS.

Organized January 14, 1890. Annual meeting December 3, to commemorate the admission of Illinois into the Union.

Officers elected December 3, 1910.

President, John D. Vandercook, 230 North Park Ave., Austin...Chicago
1st Vice-President, La Verne W. Noyes, 130 Lake Shore Drive..Chicago
2d Vice-President, Chancellor L. Jenks, 1217 Ridge Ave.....Evanston
Secretary, Louis A. Bowman, Room 1333, 30 N. La Salle St....Chicago
Treasurer, Francis J. Cushing, 1016 Chamber of Com. Bldg....Chicago
Historian, Harlan W. Cooley, 159 La Salle St.....Chicago
Registrar, Frederick L. Lothrop, 1834 Larchmont Ave.....Chicago
Chaplain, John Timothy Stone, D. D., 71 East Elm St.....Chicago
Sergeant-at-Arms, James Edgar Brown, 59 Clark St.....Chicago

Chapter Officers.

SPRINGFIELD CHAPTER, NO. 1. ORGANIZED FEBRUARY 1, 1897.

President, Charles F. Mills; Secretary, Isaac R. Diller; Treasurer, Geo. M. Brinkerhoff.

OAK PARK CHAPTER, NO. 7. ORGANIZED JUNE, 1903.

President, Henry W. Austin; Secretary, W. J. Gallup; Treasurer, Louis A. Bowman.

RIVER FOREST CHAPTER, NO. 8. ORGANIZED JANUARY, 1911.

President, J. K. Ingalls; Secretary, Edgar L. Cotting; Treasurer, Frank C. Haselton.

Geo. Rogers Clark Chapter, No. 2, Bloomington; Evanston Chapter, No. 3; Rock Island Chapter, No. 5; Monmouth Chapter, No. 6, are not now actively maintained, although there are members in each of these cities and the charters still exist.

INDIANA SOCIETY.

225 MEMBERS.

Organized January 15, 1890. Annual meeting February 25, to commemorate the capture of Fort Sackville, Vincennes, Ind., by Gen. George Rogers Clark.

Officers elected February 25, 1911.

President, Horace C. Starr, 1708 North Penn St.....Indianapolis
First Vice-President, James E. Somes.....Terre Haute
Second Vice-President, J. E. Vaile.....Kokomo
Third Vice-President, Austin F. Denny.....Indianapolis
Secretary, Bennett B. Bobbitt, Amer. Nat. Bank.....Indianapolis
Treasurer, Stanley Curtis Brooks, 1401 No. Delaware St...Indianapolis
Registrar, Garvin M. Brown, 1101 No. Delaware St.....Indianapolis
Chaplain, Rev. Christopher S. Sargent, 2115 Talbott Ave...Indianapolis

Chapter Officers.

ANTHONY WAYNE CHAPTER, NO. 1, FORT WAYNE.

President, James H. Haberly; Vice-President, George Tallman Ladd; Secretary, Horace G. Granger; Treasurer, Charles B. Fitch.

HUNTINGTON CHAPTER.

President, Charles McGrew; Vice-President, Frank Felter; Secretary, Morton Tuttle; Treasurer, N. W. Scott; Registrar, E. B. Heiney.

JOHN MORTON CHAPTER, TERRE HAUTE.

President, James Ellis Somes; Vice-President, George Oscar Dix; Secretary, Charles Timothy Jewett; Treasurer, Horace Tune; Registrar, James B. Harris; Chaplain, John Patton Kimmel.

IOWA SOCIETY.

292 MEMBERS.

Organized September 5, 1893. Annual meeting April 19.

Officers elected April 19, 1911.

President, Elmer Marston Wentworth.....State Center
First Vice-President, Rev. Ezra Butler Newcomb, D. D.....Keokuk
Second Vice-President, Joseph G. Gardner.....Des Moines
Treasurer, William Henry Field.....Valley Junction
Secretary, Capt. Elbridge Drew Hadley.....Des Moines
Registrar-Historian, Dr. Edward H. Hazen.....Des Moines
Chaplain, Rev. James Perkins Burling.....Des Moines

Chapter Officers.

ALEXANDER HAMILTON CHAPTER, CHARITON.

President, Col. Warren Scott Dungan; Secretary and Treasurer, Elijah H. Lewis; Chaplain, Dr. David Roberts Dungan.

BEN FRANKLIN CHAPTER, DES MOINES.

President, Elbridge Drew Hadley; Vice-President, Dr. Gershom Hyde Hill; Secretary and Treasurer, Lowell H. Stone.

BUNKER HILL CHAPTER, WATERLOO.

President, Austin Burt; First Vice-President, Daniel R. Weaver; Secretary and Treasurer, George Colvin Kennedy; Historian, Dr. Lafayette W. Case.

LEXINGTON CHAPTER, KEOKUK.

President, Eugene Silas Baker; Vice-President, William J. Fulton; Secretary and Treasurer, Capt. David Brown Hamill.

OTTUMWA CHAPTER, OTTUMWA.

Vice-President, Frank Benjamin Clark; Secretary and Treasurer, George Francis Trotter.

WASHINGTON CHAPTER, AMES.

President, Dr. E. W. Stanton; Vice-President, Gen. James R. Lincoln; Historian and Registrar, Prof. Benjamin H. Hibbard; Secretary and Treasurer, Charles Hamilton.

WOODBURY CHAPTER, SIOUX CITY.

President, Alpheus B. Beall; Vice-President, Dr. Stephen B. Hoskins; Secretary, Harry S. Snyder; Treasurer, Edwin G. Dilley.

KANSAS SOCIETY.

65 MEMBERS.

Organized March 31, 1892. Annual meeting the third Wednesday in January.

Officers.

President, John M. Meade.....Topeka
Vice-President, A. K. Rodgers.....Topeka
Secretary-Historian, Daniel W. Nellis.....Topeka
Treasurer, David W. Norton.....Topeka
Registrar, Joseph Lewis Eldridge.....Topeka

KENTUCKY SOCIETY.

125 MEMBERS.

Organized April 8, 1889. Annual meeting October 19, to commemorate the surrender of Cornwallis.

Officers elected October 19, 1910.

President, George Lewis Danforth, Third and Main Sts.....Louisville
Vice-President, S. Thruston Ballard, Ballard & Ballard Co...Louisville
Secretary, Robinson A. McDowell, Kenyon Bldg.....Louisville
Registrar, Benjamin La Bree, P. O. Box 454.....Maysville
Treasurer, George Twyman Wood, 430 W. Main St.....Louisville
Historian, George Griffith Fetter, 412 W. Main St.....Louisville
Chaplain, Very Rev. Charles Ewell Craik.....Louisville

LOUISIANA SOCIETY.

76 MEMBERS.

Organized May 16, 1893. Annual meeting April 13, Jefferson's Birth-

Officers elected December 10, 1910.

President, Edward Rightor.....New Orleans
Vice-Presidents: John Day, Thomas Sloo, H. N. Pharr.
State Sec'y, Thomas Dabney Dimitry, 1117 Euterpe St....New Orleans
Financial Secretary, Robert T. Burwell, 818 Gravier St....New Orleans
Treasurer, Col. Charles A. Larendon, 815 Union St.....New Orleans

Registrar, Hon. Louis D. Lagarde, Kennen Bldg.....New Orleans
Historian, Henry Rightor, 818 Gravier St.....New Orleans
Chaplain, Rev. John T. Sawyer, D. D.....New Orleans

MAINE SOCIETY.

375 Members.

Organized March 14, 1891. Annual meeting February 22, to commemorate Washington's Birthday.

Officers elected February 22, 1911.

President, Dr. Seth C. Gordon.....Portland
Senior Vice-President, Capt. Silas B. Adams.....Waterville
Vice-Presidents for Counties: Androscoggin, Hon. Edwin P. Ricker, South Poland; Aroostook, Willis B. Hall, Caribou; Cumberland, Robert S. Thomes, Portland; Franklin, Fred G. Paine, Farmington; Hancock, Benj. L. Noyes, M. D., Stonington; Kennebec, E. C. Carle, Augusta; Knox, Eugene Prescott Webber, Westport; Oxford, Chas. L. Hathaway, Norway; Penobscot, Henry N. Fairbanks, Bangor; Piscataquis, John F. Sprague, Monson; Sagadahoc, Wm. B. Kendall, Bowdoinham; Somerset, Chas. F. Jones, Skowhegan; Waldo, Ralph Emery, Belfast; Washington, George R. Gardner, Calais; York, Lieut. Oliver P. Remick, Kittery.
Secretary, Rev. Joseph Battell Shepherd.....Portland
Registrar, Albert R. Stubbs.....Portland
Treasurer, Convers E. Leach.....Portland
Librarian, Nathan Goold.....Portland
Historian, Hon. Augustus F. Moulton.....Portland
Chaplain, Rev. William G. Mann.....Westbrook

MARYLAND SOCIETY.

269 Members.

Organized April 20, 1889. Annual meeting October 19, to commemorate the burning of the brig "Peggy Stuart" at Annapolis, October 19, 1774.

Officers elected October 19, 1910.

President, Gen. Clinton L. Riggs, 903 N. Charles St.....Baltimore
Vice-Presidents: Hon. George R. Gaither, Hon. Henry Stockbridge, James E. Hancock, George W. Hyde, T. Murray Maynadier.
Secretary, Aubrey Pearre, Jr., 207 N. Calvert St.....Baltimore
Treasurer, Ira H. Houghton, 12 E. Lexington St.....Baltimore
Registrar, Edward F. Arthurs, 628 Equitable Bldg.....Baltimore
Historian, Prof. Arthur B. Bibbins, 2600 Maryland Ave.....Baltimore
Chaplain, Rev. Henry Branch, D. D.....Ellicott City

MASSACHUSETTS SOCIETY.

1,635 MEMBERS.

Organized April 19, 1889. Annual meeting April 19, to commemorate battles of Lexington and Concord.

Officers elected April 19, 1911.

President, Edwin Sanford Crandon.....Cambridge
Vice-President, Luke Stearns Stowe.....Springfield
Vice-President, Luther Atwood.....Lynn
Vice-President, Frank E. Woodward.....Wellesley Hills
Secretary-Registrar, Herbert W. Kimball, 17 Milk St.....Boston
Treasurer, Charles Montraville Green, M. D.....Boston
Historian, Brig. Gen. Philip Reade, U. S. A. (retired).....Lowell
Chaplain, Rev. Lewis Wilder Hicks.....Wellesley

Chapter Officers.

OLD SALEM CHAPTER, SALEM. CHARTERED OCTOBER 31, 1895.

President, Frank V. Wright; Vice-President, William O. Hood; Second Vice-President, Albert Robinson; Secretary, Shepard D. Gilbert; Treasurer, Francis R. Hathaway; Registrar, Andrew Nichols.

BOSTON CHAPTER. CHARTERED OCTOBER 31, 1895.

President, Edward J. Cox; Vice-President, George W. Austin; Secretary, Charles C. Littlefield; Treasurer, Edwin B. Gallagher; Historian, Frank E. Sawyer.

GEORGE WASHINGTON CHAPTER, SPRINGFIELD. CHARTERED OCTOBER 31, 1895.

President, Henry A. Field; Vice-President, William G. Wheat; Secretary, Henry A. Booth; Treasurer, Henry F. Punderson; Registrar, Frank G. Tobey; Historian, William F. Emerson; Chaplain, Rev. Newton M. Hall; Auditor, Edwin G. Rude.

OLD MIDDLESEX CHAPTER, LOWELL. CHARTERED JANUARY 17, 1896.

President, James B. Field, M. D.; Vice-President, Rev. A. C. Ferrin; Secretary, Ralph H. Shaw; Treasurer, Russell Fox; Registrar, Warren W. Fox; Historian, Frank W. Hall; Chaplain, Rev. Wilson Waters; Auditor, George W. Miller.

OLD ESSEX CHAPTER, LYNN. CHARTERED FEBRUARY 7, 1896.

President, Horace H. Atherton, Jr.; First Vice-President, Charles J. H. Woodbury; Second Vice-President, Henry F. Tapley; Secretary and Registrar, Luther Atwood; Treasurer, Webster Bruce; Historian, Charles H. Bangs, M. D.

OLD COLONY CHAPTER, WHITMAN. CHARTERED APRIL 17, 1896.

President, ———; Vice-President, Horatio F. Copeland, M. D.; Secretary, Charles E. Lovell, M. D.; Treasurer, Randall W. Cook; Historian, ———.

OLD SUFFOLK CHAPTER, CHELSEA. CHARTERED FEBRUARY 3, 1897.

President, Hon. Eugene F. Endicott; Vice-President, Charles O. Currier; Secretary, Thomas U. Follansbee; Treasurer, Elmer H. Snow; Historian, James F. Thayer.

WORCESTER CHAPTER, WORCESTER. CHARTERED APRIL 2, 1897.

President, Winthrop Hammond; Vice-Presidents, John C. Berry, M. D., Paul B. Morgan, Chas. T. Tatman; Secretary, Edward F. Mann; Treasurer, George D. Barber; Historian, John K. Warren, M. D.

NEWTOWNE CHAPTER, NEWTON. CHARTERED MAY 7, 1897.

President, Harry B. Walker; Vice-President, Edw. J. Cox; Secretary and Treasurer, Frank E. Sawyer; Registrar, Samuel G. Webber, M. D.; Historian, Edward P. Hunt.

BERKSHIRE COUNTY CHAPTER, PITTSFIELD. CHARTERED JUNE 4, 1897.

President, James H. Punderson; Vice-Presidents, Dr. J. F. A. Adams, Henry A. Francis, Edward H. Brewer; Secretary and Registrar, Joseph E. Peirson; Treasurer, William C. Stevenson; Historian, William L. Root.

ROBERT TREAT PAINE CHAPTER, TAUNTON. CHARTERED SEPTEMBER 3, 1897.

President, Chas. H. Lincoln; First Vice-President, Lewis E. Higgins; Second Vice-President, Enos D. Williams; Secretary, Clarence F. Boyden; Treasurer, Edward B. Hamlen; Registrar, James E. Seaver; Historian, William M. Emery; Chaplain, Rev. J. Francis Cooper.

MALDEN CHAPTER. CHARTERED APRIL 6, 1900.

President, William H. Winship; First Vice-President, Spencer T. Williams; Second Vice-President, A. Warren Patch; Secretary, Walter K. Watkins; Treasurer, Willard Welsh; Historian, William B. Snow.

CAMBRIDGE CHAPTER. CHARTERED MARCH 7, 1902.

President, John Amee; Vice-President, ———; Secretary, Shepard Howland; Treasurer, Albert F. Amee; Historian, Edward B. Hutchinson.

SETH POMEROY CHAPTER, NORTHAMPTON. CHARTERED OCTOBER 13, 1905.

President, Elmer H. Copeland, M. D.; Vice-President, Frank N. Look; Secretary, Louis L. Campbell; Treasurer, S. Dwight Drury; Historian, George W. Cable; Chaplain, Rev. Henry G. Smith, D. D.

ROXBURY CHAPTER, BOSTON. CHARTERED APRIL 13, 1906.

President, Frank E. Granger; Vice-President, Wm. E. Briggs; Secretary, William W. Beal; Treasurer, Arthur L. Foster; Historian, Henry C. Whitcomb.

MICHIGAN SOCIETY.

379 Members.

Organized January 18, 1890. Annual meeting April 15.

Officers elected April 21, 1911.

President, Rev. Lee S. McCollester, D.D., 655 John R. St.....Detroit
Vice-President, Joseph Greusel, 949 Fort St. W.....Detroit
Secretary, Williams C. Harris, 610 Wayne Co. Sav. Bk. Bldg...Detroit
Treasurer, Enoch Smith, Peoples State Bank.....Detroit
Registrar, Raymond E. Van Syckle, 1022 Ford Bldg.....Detroit
Chaplain, Rt. Rev. Charles D. Williams.....Detroit
Historian, Clarence M. Burton, 20 Home Bank Bldg.....Detroit

Chapter Officers.

WESTERN MICHIGAN CHAPTER, GRAND RAPIDS.

President, William Judson; Vice-President, H. C. Angell; Secretary, C. C. Follmer, 813 Mich. Trust Co. Bldg.

MINNESOTA SOCIETY.

533 Members.

Organized December 26, 1889. Annual meeting December 26, to commemorate the anniversary of the Battle of Trenton.

Officers elected January 11, 1910.

President, Edward P. Sanborn,.....St. Paul
Vice-President, Saxe G. L. Roberts.....Pine City
Vice-President, Ambrose D. Countryman.....Appleton
Vice-President, Stillman H. Bingham.....Duluth
Vice-President, Gen. Lewis A. Grant.....Minneapolis
Secretary, Charles H. Bronson, 48 East Fourth St.....St. Paul
Assistant Secretary, Ernest A. Countryman.....St. Paul
Treasurer, Edward S. Stringer, 306 Nat. Ger. Am. Bank Bldg...St. Paul
Registrar, Charles Stees, 165 East Seventh St.....St. Paul
Historian, Henry A. Castle.....St. Paul
Chaplain, Rev. M. D. Edwards, D. D.....St. Paul

MISSISSIPPI SOCIETY.

25 Members.

Organized May 10, 1909.

Officers, 1911.

President, Judge Gordon Garland Lyell..... Jackson
Vice-President, Hon. W. D. Anderson.....Tupelo
Vice-President, McGehee Porter.....Aberdeen
Vice-President, Col. Chalmers M. Williamson.....Jackson
Secretary-Registrar, Wm. H. Pullen, Mechanics' Bank Bldg....Jackson
Treasurer, Phillip Stevens Merrill.....Jackson

MISSOURI SOCIETY.

104 MEMBERS.

Organized April 23, 1889. Annual meeting March 4, to commemorate taking effect of the Constitution of the United States. Annual dinner April 19, to commemorate battles of Concord and Lexington.

Officers elected March 4, 1911.

President, Amedee B. Cole, 3705 Lindell Ave.....St. Louis
First Vice-President, Jas. E. Withrow, Court House.....St. Louis
Second Vice-President, Rev. S. J. Niccolls, D. D., 8 Hortense Pl. St. Louis
Third Vice-President, W. B. Homer, 402 Rialto Bldg.....St. Louis
Fourth Vice-President, John L. Ro Bards.....Hannibal
Secretary, Robert E. Adreon, 1932 N. Broadway.....St. Louis
Treasurer, I. Shreve Carter, 803 Merchants' Laclede Bldg.....St. Louis
Registrar, Linn Paine, Mermod, Jaccard & King Co.....St. Louis
Historian, Jno. M. Fulton, Frisco Bldg.....St. Louis
Chaplain, Rev. W. W. Boyd, 300 N. Fourth St.....St. Louis

Chapter Officers.

KANSAS CITY CHAPTER.

President, George P. Gross; Vice-President, Wm. H. Williams; Secretary, F. C. Spalding; Treasurer, W. H. H. Tainter; Historian, James M. Greenwood; Registrar, John H. Crum.

ST. LOUIS CHAPTER.

(Officers same as State Society.)

MONTANA SOCIETY.

29 MEMBERS.

Organized June 5, 1894. Annual meeting February 22.

Officers elected February 22, 1911.

President, Henry C. Arnold.....Helena
Vice-President, A. K. Prescott.....Helena
Secretary, Leslie Sulgrove.....Helena
Treasurer, Charles J. Brackett.....Helena
Registrar, Cornelius Hedges.....Helena
Chaplain, Orin T. Walker.....Helena
Librarian, W. R. Burroughs.....Helena

NEBRASKA SOCIETY.

122 MEMBERS.

Organized April 26, 1890. Annual meeting February 22, to commemorate Washington's Birthday.

Officers elected February 22, 1910.

President, Pressly J. Barr, 5015 California St.....Omaha
Senior Vice-President, Dr. John M. Banister.....Omaha
Junior Vice-President, George L. Loomis.....Fremont
Secretary, Edwin O. Halstead, Box 406.....Omaha
Treasurer, John F. Flack.....Omaha
Registrar, David C. Patterson, 7 Patterson Blk.....Omaha
Historian, John W. Battin.....Omaha

Chapter Officers.

ETHAN ALLEN CHAPTER, OMAHA.

President, James Richardson; Vice-President, Ralph W. Emerson; Secretary and Treasurer, Charles L. Ransom; Historian, Andrew K. Gault.

NEVADA SOCIETY.

22 MEMBERS.

Organized February 19, 1910.

Officers elected April 19, 1910.

President, Robert Martin Price.....Reno
Vice-President, Johnson Barton Daniel.....Reno
Secretary, Charles Philbrick Eager.....Reno
Treasurer, William E. Otis, Jr.....Reno
Registrar, Albert D. Ayres.....Reno
Chaplain, Rev. Charles Leon Mears.....Reno

NEW HAMPSHIRE SOCIETY.

288 MEMBERS.

Organized April 24, 1889. Annual meeting April 19.

Officers elected April 20, 1911.

President, William F. Whitcher.....Woodsville
Vice-President, John R. Eastman.....Andover
Vice-President, Franklin W. McKinley.....Manchester
Vice-President, Frank J. Pillsbury.....Concord
Secretary-Treasurer, Rev. Howard F. Hill.....Concord
Historian, Fred W. Lamb.....Manchester
Registrar, William P. Fiske.....Concord
Chaplain, Rev. Dr. Lucius Waterman.....Hanover

Chapter Officers.

KEENE CHAPTER, NO. 1.

President, Hon. James S. Taft; Vice-President, Rev. Alfred H. Wheeler; Secretary and Treasurer, Charles Gale Shedd; Historian, Rev. Josiah L. Seward, D. D.

NEW JERSEY SOCIETY.

581 MEMBERS.

Organized March 7, 1889. Annual meeting usually January 3 (Battle of Princeton) or at such other time as the Society at any annual meeting may designate.

Officers elected January 3, 1911.

President, Hon. Edward S. Atwater, 78 Broad St.....Elizabeth
First Vice-President, George Rowland Howe.....Newark
Second Vice-Pres., T. W. Williams, 78 N. Arlington Ave., East Orange
Secretary, John Randell Weeks, 192 Market St.....Newark
Treasurer, Capt. Oscar H. Condit.....East Orange
Registrar, John Jackson Hubbell, 717 Essex Bldg., Clinton St., Newark
Historian, Prof. William C. Armstrong.....New Brunswick
Chaplain, Rev. John Hobart Egbert.....Irvington

Chapter Officers.

ELIZABETHTOWN CHAPTER, NO. 1.

President, Lebbeus B. Miller; Vice-President, C. Symmes Kiggins; Secretary, Harry F. Brewer; Treasurer, Moses M. Crane; Historian, Miller C. Earl; Chaplain, Rev. William F. Whitaker, D. D.

ORANGE CHAPTER, NO. 2.

President, Dr. G. Herbert Richards; Vice-President, William J. Nevius; Treasurer, Francis Gilbert; Secretary, Richard Tillard; Historian, David L. Pierson; Chaplain, Rev. Ferdinand Q. Blanchard.

The Orange Chapter also includes residents of Glen Ridge and Bloomfield.

MONTCLAIR CHAPTER, NO. 3.

President, George C. Sterling; First Vice-President, W. I. Lincoln Adams; Second Vice-President, John B. Wight; Secretary, Arthur H. Churchill; Treasurer, Julius B. Crowell; Historian, Thomas I. Crowell; Chaplain, Rev. Harry E. Fosdick.

NEW MEXICO SOCIETY.

46 MEMBERS

Organized December 26, 1908.

Officers elected February 22, 1911.

President, George S. Klock.....Albuquerque
Vice-President, Pitt Ross.....Albuquerque
Vice-President, Harold H. Hurd.....Roswell
Vice-President, Dr. T. P. Martin.....Farmington
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Historian, R. W. D. Bryan.....Albuquerque
Chaplain, C. C. Bateman, U. S. Army.....Fort Bayard

NEW YORK.

THE EMPIRE STATE SOCIETY.

1,368 MEMBERS.

Organized February 11, 1890. Annual meeting March 17.

Officers elected April 18, 1911.

President, John H. Burroughs, 15 William St.....New York
First Vice-President, Louis Annin Ames, 99 Fulton St.....New York
Second Vice-President, Wm. S. Kitchell, 145 Reade St.....New York
Third Vice-President, Clinton Rogers.....Rochester
Secretary, Capt. Charles A. Du Bois, 220 Broadway.....New York
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Historian, Josiah C. Pumpelly, A.M., LL.B., 255 W. 108th St..New York
Chaplain, Rev. Chas. L. Goodell, D. D., 136 W. 130th St.....New York

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President, Newell B. Woodworth; Secretary, Chas. C. Cook.

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President, R. E. Prince, Jr.

NORTH CAROLINA SOCIETY.

31 MEMBERS.

Organized February 22, 1911. Annual meeting February 22.

Officers elected February 22, 1911.

President, Hon. Stephen C. Bragaw.....Washington
Vice-President, John A. Weddell.....Tarboro
Secretary-Registrar, R. T. Bonner.....Aurora
Treasurer, Dr. John C. Rodman.....Washington
Historian, E. W. Myers.....Greensboro
Chaplain, Dr. H. M. Bonner.....Newbern

NORTH DAKOTA SOCIETY.

23 MEMBERS.

Organized February 4, 1911.

Officers elected February 4, 1911.

President, Hon. Burleigh F. Spalding.....Bismarck or Fargo
First Vice-President, Charles M. Cooley.....Grand Forks
Second Vice-President, J. L. Bell.....Bismarck
Secretary and Registrar, H. C. Fish.....Bismarck
Treasurer, Gen. A. P. Peake.....Valley City
Chaplain, R. A. Beard, D. D.....Fargo

OHIO SOCIETY.

523 MEMBERS.

Organized April 11-22, 1889. Annual meeting April 19, to commemorate the Battle of Lexington.

Permanent headquarters of the Society at Columbus under constitutional provision.

Officers elected April 19, 1911.

President, John N. Van Deman.....Dayton
Vice-President, Dr. Wm. F. Peirce.....Gambier
Registrar, William L. Curry.....Columbus
Secretary, Hugh Huntington.....Columbus
Treasurer, Stimpson G. Harvey.....Toledo
Historian, William A. Taylor.....Columbus
Chaplain, Rev. Abner L. Frazer.....Youngstown

Chapter Officers.

BENJAMIN FRANKLIN CHAPTER, COLUMBUS.

President, Dr. Willard B. Carpenter; Vice-President, Dr. Vander Veer Taylor; Secretary-Treasurer, Hugh Huntington; Registrar-Historian, John L. W. Henney; Chaplain, E. Howard Gilkey.

WESTERN RESERVE SOCIETY, CLEVELAND.

President, Dr. H. G. Sherman; Vice-Presidents, A. G. Reynolds, Painesville, James M. Richardson, Cleveland, Giles R. Gregory, Norwalk, and W. D. Royce, Cleveland; Secretary, E. M. Hall, Cleveland; Treasurer, J. H. Griswold, Cleveland; Registrar, Edward L. Harris, Cleveland; Assistant Treasurer, E. E. Otis, Akron; Historian, A. T. Brewer; Chaplain, Rev. Lyman H. Royce.

ANTHONY WAYNE CHAPTER, TOLEDO.

President, Frederick J. Flagg; First Vice-President, Rollin H. Scribner; Second Vice-President, Dr. George Pope MacNichol; Third Vice-President, William H. Moor; Registrar, John C. Whelan; Secretary, Herbert J. Ellis; Treasurer, Col. Stimpson G. Harvey; Historian, Dr. W. A. Dickey; Chaplain, Rev. R. D. Hollington.

NATHAN HALE CHAPTER, YOUNGSTOWN.

President, James P. Wilson; Vice-President and Secretary, Abner L. Fraser; Treasurer, John J. Brant; Registrar and Historian, Henry R. Baldwin.

GEORGE WASHINGTON CHAPTER, NEWARK.

President, Robert Mason Davidson; Vice-President, Edward Kibler; Secretary, Frederick H. King; Treasurer, Channing M. Thompson; Registrar, Charles Hempstead.

SIMON KENTON CHAPTER, KENTON.

President, Judge Artemas B. Johnson; First Vice-President, Dr. Jesse Snodgrass; Second Vice-President, Dr. David P. Philips; Secretary, Hugh E. Pearce; Treasurer, Hugh L. Runkle; Registrar, Austin L. McKitrick; Historian, George E. Crane; Chaplain, Abishai Woodward.

CINCINNATI CHAPTER.

President, Dr. E. R. Booth; First Vice-President, Dudley V. Sutphen; Second Vice-President, Rev. G. S. J. Browne; Secretary-Treasurer-Registrar, Rev. E. P. Whallon.

NATHANAEL GREENE CHAPTER, XENIA.

President, Charles C. Shearer; Corresponding Secretary, William A. Galloway; Recording Secretary and Treasurer, Finley D. Torrence; Registrar, Clark M. Galloway.

OKLAHOMA SOCIETY.

43 MEMBERS.

Organized February 22, 1905. Admitted into the National Society May 18, 1905.

Officers, 1911.

President, Col. Arthur H. Price.....Oklahoma City
Vice-President, Charles Henry Parker.....Enid
Vice-President, James Monroe Hall.....Tulsa
Vice-President, Dr. Charles R. Hume.....Anadarko
Secretary, Dr. L. Haynes Buxton.....Oklahoma City
Treasurer, Frederick Brasted.....Oklahoma City
Registrar, Robert P. Carpenter.....Oklahoma City
Historian, Joseph B. Thoburn.....Oklahoma City
Chaplain, Carter Helm Jones, D. D.....Oklahoma City

OREGON SOCIETY.

111 Members.

Organized June 6, 1891. Annual meeting February 22, to commemorate Washington's Birthday.

Officers elected February 22, 1911.

President, Wallace McCamant, Electric Bldg.....Portland
Vice-President, D. W. Wakefield.....Portland
Secretary, B. A. Thaxter, 443 Eleventh St.....Portland
Treasurer, A. A. Lindsley, Sherlock Bldg.....Portland
Registrar, W. H. Chapin, Chamber of Commerce Bldg.....Portland

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PENNSYLVANIA SOCIETY.

603 Members.

Organized November 23, 1893. Annual meeting February 22.

Officers elected February 22, 1911.

President, James Denton Hancock.....Franklin
First Vice-President, William L. Jones, 243 Fourth Ave.....Pittsburg
Vice-President, Thomas Stephen Brown, 1110 Berger Bldg....Pittsburg
Vice-President, H. W. Fernberger.....Philadelphia
Secretary, F. G. Paulson, 515 Wood St.....Pittsburg
Treasurer, Ogden Russell, 3d Nat'l Bank.....Pittsburg
Registrar, F. Armstrong, Jr., 407 Oakland Ave.....Pittsburg
Historian, Rev. Charles E. Snyder.....Pittsburg
Chaplain, Rev. Warren G. Partridge, D. D., 309 Hallet St....Pittsburg

Chapter Officers.

PHILADELPHIA CHAPTER.

President, Moses Veale; Vice-President, Rev. George D. Adams; Secretary and Treasurer, Samuel W. Fernberger; Registrar, Thomas Wynne; Historian, Peter D. Helms.

NEW CASTLE CHAPTER.

President, Dr. H. W. McKee; Vice-President, Dr. W. G. Miller; Secretary, F. R. Woods; Treasurer, H. R. Wilkison; Registrar, J. S. Du Shane.

PHILIPPINE SOCIETY.

Charter granted February 17, 1911, to 15 eligible members to organize a Society. Temporary President, Judge Charles S. Lobingier, Manila.

RHODE ISLAND SOCIETY.

321 MEMBERS.

Organized February 1, 1890. Annual meeting February 22.

Officers elected February 22, 1911.

President, Charles Dean Kimball, 459 Washington St.....Providence
Vice-President, Joseph Balch, 272 Benefit St.....Providence
Secretary, Christopher Rhodes, 290 Benefit St.....Providence
Treasurer, Arthur Preston Sumner, 639 Banigan Bldg.....Providence
Registrar, Francis Eliot Bates.....Oak Lawn
Historian, Robert Perkins Brown, 13 Charles Field St.....Providence
Chaplain, Rev. Samuel Heber Webb, 21 Adelaide Ave.....Providence
Poet, John Prescott Farnsworth, 42 Tobey St.....Providence

Chapter Officers.

BRISTOL CHAPTER, NO. 1.

President, Howard Wardwell Church; Vice-President, William Leonard Manchester; Secretary, Joseph Franklin Farrally; Treasurer, Frederic Fillmore Gladding; Historian, George Ulric Arnold; Poet, Orrin Luther Bosworth.

PROVIDENCE CHAPTER, NO. 2.

President, Robert Perkins Brown; Vice-President, Frederic Willard Easton; Secretary and Treasurer, Arthur Preston Sumner; Historian, Wilfred Harold Munro.

PAWTUCKET CHAPTER, NO. 3.

President, Henry Clinton Dexter; Vice-President, Charles Henry French; Secretary, Nicholas Howard Easton; Treasurer, Theodore Everett Dexter.

KENT COUNTY CHAPTER, NO. 4.

President, Howard Vernon Allen; Vice-President, Thomas Wilson Chace; Secretary and Treasurer, Nathaniel Howland Brown; Registrar, William Arnold Browning; Historian, Herbert Morton Clarke; Chaplain, Rev. Charles Fremont Roper.

SOUTH CAROLINA SOCIETY.

18 MEMBERS.

Organized March 22, 1911.

Officers elected March 22, 1911.

President, Paul Trapier Hayne.....Greenville
Vice-President, Oscar K. Mauldin.....Greenville
Secretary, David Arnold Henning.....Greenville
Registrar, John E. Black.....Columbia

SOUTH DAKOTA SOCIETY.

16 Members.

Preliminary meeting January 31, 1911. Permanently organized March 27, 1911. Replaces Society organized in 1899.

Officers elected March 27, 1911.

President, R. J. Wells.....Sioux Falls
Vice-President, F. M. Mills.....Sioux Falls
Secretary-Registrar, T. W. Dwight.....Sioux Falls
Treasurer, B. H. Requa.....Sioux Falls
Chaplain, Lucius Kingsbury.....Sioux Falls
Historian, C. O. Bailey.....Sioux Falls

TENNESSEE SOCIETY.

34 Members.

Organized December 2, 1889. Annual meeting October 7, to commemorate Battle of Kings Mountain.

Officers elected April, 1909.

President, L. R. Eastman.....Nashville
Vice-President, John W. Faxon.....Chattanooga
Vice-President, A. A. Lipscomb.....Columbia
Vice-President, Jos. W. McGall.....Huntington
Secretary, Roger Eastman.....Nashville
Treasurer, W. E. Metzger.....Nashville
Registrar, Jno. C. Brown.....Nashville
Historian, Leland Hume.....Nashville

TEXAS SOCIETY.

74 Members.

Organized December 8, 1896. Annual meeting February 22.

Officers elected February 22, 1911.

President, W. G. Bell.....Austin
Senior Vice-President, J. T. Trezevant.....Dallas
Second Vice-President, F. F. Downs.....Temple
Secretary, N. D. Smith.....Austin
Treasurer, Wilber H. Young.....Austin
Historian and Registrar, E. E. Rice.....Galveston
Chaplain, J. T. Huffmaster.....Galveston

UTAH SOCIETY.

72 MEMBERS.

Organized January 29, 1895. Annual meeting February 22.

Officers elected February 22, 1911.

President, Gordon Lines Hutchins, 522 Dooly Bldg.....Salt Lake City
Vice-President, Samuel Culver Park, 170 S. Main St.....Salt Lake City
Secretary, Chauncey P. Overfield, 522 Dooly Bldg.....Salt Lake City
Treasurer, Alfred Holmes Peabody, 1064 3d Ave.....Salt Lake City
Registrar, William Dalton Neal, 290 Centre St.....Salt Lake City
Historian, Geo. H. Davis, Boston Bldg.....Salt Lake City
Chaplain, Joseph Kimball, 777 Seventh Ave.....Salt Lake City

VERMONT SOCIETY.

277 MEMBERS.

Organized April 2, 1889. Annual meeting second Wednesday in November.

Officers elected November 10, 1910.

President (William Tarbox Dewey; died May 20, 1911).
Vice-President, Frank L. Greene.....St. Albans
Secretary, Walter Hill Crockett.....Montpelier
Treasurer, Clarence Lucius Smith.....Burlington
Registrar, Henry Leonard Stillson.....Bennington
Historian, Walter Hill Crockett.....Montpelier
Chaplain, Rev. Homer Abial Flint.....Montpelier

VIRGINIA SOCIETY.

76 MEMBERS.

Organized July 7, 1890. Annual meeting February 22, to commemorate Washington's Birthday.

Officers elected February 22, 1911.

President, Judge Lunsford L. Lewis.....Richmond
Vice-President, J. Staunton Moore.....Richmond
Vice-President, Arthur B. Clarke.....Richmond
Vice-President, Gen. Charles J. Anderson.....Richmond
Secretary-Registrar-Historian,
Dr. Robert A. Brock, 517 W. Marshall St., Richmond
Treasurer, Earnest W. Moore, 2606 E. Broad St.....Richmond
Chaplain, Norton P. Savage.....Richmond

Chapter Officers.

TIDEWATER CHAPTER, NO. 1, NORFOLK.

President, Col. W. H. Sargeant, Jr.; Vice-President, R. C. Aunspaugh; Treasurer, Tench F. Tilghman; Secretary-Registrar-Historian, William Henry Sargeant.

WASHINGTON SOCIETY.

206 MEMBERS.

Organized June 17, 1895. Annual meeting February 22.

Officers elected February 22, 1911.

President, Overton G. Ellis, Fidelity Bldg.....Tacoma
First Vice-President, Robert G. Walker.....Tacoma
Second Vice-President, Leander T. Turner.....Seattle
Secretary, Edward B. Judson, 954 Commerce St.....Tacoma
Treasurer, Augustus V. Bell, 508 Mehlhorn Bldg.....Seattle
Registrar, Robert C. Saunders, 610 Central Bldg.....Seattle
Historian, Ovid A. Byers.....Seattle
Chaplain, Arthur Newton Thompson, D. D.....Seattle

Chapter Officers.

SEATTLE CHAPTER, 44 MEMBERS.

President, Everett Smith; Vice-President, Hugh A. Garland; Secretary, H. R. Thompson; Treasurer, F. H. Crowell; Historian, W. E. Starr; Chaplain, Rev. Edward Lincoln Smith.

ALEXANDER HAMILTON CHAPTER, TACOMA, 27 MEMBERS.

President, Robert G. Walker; Vice-President, John D. Fletcher; Registrar, W. L. McCormick; Secretary, H. P. Clark; Treasurer, A. E. Grafton.

SPOKANE CHAPTER, 41 MEMBERS.

President, C. M. Doland; Vice-President, Thomas H. Brewer; Secretary and Treasurer, J. Melvin Thomas; Registrar, Richard B. Harris.

WISCONSIN SOCIETY.

191 MEMBERS.

Organized February 25, 1890. Annual meeting changed from May 29 to May 24, to commemorate the evacuation of Wisconsin Territory by British troops, May 24, 1815.

Officers, 1911.

President, Kossuth Kent Kennan, 1017 Wells Bldg.....Milwaukee
Second Vice-President, Henry Martyn Ogden.....Milwaukee
Secretary, Herbert N. Laflin, New Insurance Bldg.....Milwaukee
Treasurer, William Stark Smith, 396 Royall Place.....Milwaukee
Registrar, William Ward Wight.....Milwaukee
Historian, Rolland Lewis Porter.....Mukwonago
Chaplain, Rt. Rev. Gershom Mott Williams.....Marquette, Mich.

WYOMING SOCIETY.

32 Members.

Organized March 28, 1908. Admitted into the National Society April 30, 1908.

Officers.

President, Henry Benjamin Patten.....Cheyenne
Vice-President, Floyd Farrington Burchard.
Secretary, Leander Corning Hills.....Cheyenne
Treasurer, Arthur H. Doane.....Cheyenne
Registrar, Roscoe Lehi Guernsey.....Cheyenne
Historian, William Levi Whipple.....Cheyenne

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OF THE

TWENTY-SECOND ANNUAL CONGRESS

OF

THE NATIONAL SOCIETY OF THE SONS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION,

HELD AT LOUISVILLE, KENTUCKY,

MAY 1 TO 3, 1911.

COMMITTEES ON LOUISVILLE CONGRESS.

SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON ARRANGEMENTS APPOINTED BY THE NATIONAL EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

Col. Isaac F. Mack, Chairman, Sandusky, Ohio.
R. C. Ballard Thruston, Louisville, Ky.
Col. John C. Lewis, Louisville, Ky.

COMMITTEES APPOINTED BY THE KENTUCKY SOCIETY.

Advisory.

Ex-officio members of all the following committees

R. C. Ballard Thruston, Chairman
Col. John C. Lewis, Vice-Chairman
George L. Danforth
R. A. McDowell
George T. Wood

Badge.

George L. Danforth, Chairman
Dr. Walter B. Gossett, Vice-Chairman
Alfred W. Harris
Jesse McCandless
C. B. Robinson
Dr. Granville C. Waller

Banquet.

Henry S. Barker, Chairman
Arthur M. Rutledge, Vice-Chairman
Alvah L. Terry
Phillip S. Tuley

Decoration.

Lewellyn Lewis, Chairman
Lewis J. Gorin, Vice-Chairman
Frank C. Carpenter
E. W. Bentley
Edward Pope McAdams
S. J. Hillman

Entertainment.

George H. Wilson, Chairman
J. Adger Stewart, Vice-Chairman
Mason B. Barret
William Marshall Bullitt

Finance.

George T. Wood, Chairman
James Ross Todd, Vice-Chairman
H. C. Rodes

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W. W. McDowell, Chairman
James F. Buckner, Vice-Chairman
G. Wilbur Hubley
J. Morton Morris
George L. Sehon
R. A. McDowell
L. R. Williams

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Credo Harris, Chairman
Col. Ben LaBree, Vice-Chairman

Ladies' Entertainment.

S. Thruston Ballard, Chairman
Wm. Marshall Bullitt, Vice-Chairman
Gilmer Speed Adams

Printing.

George G. Fetter, Chairman
Geo. L. Burton, Vice-Chairman
J. H. Bentley
W. C. Sessions
D. B. Waller
Roy Cluck White

Reception.

Gen. Simon Bolivar Buckner, Chairman
Admiral J. C. Watson, Gen. John B. Castleman, Vice-Chairmen, and 43 others

Registration.

Charles Thruston Johnson, Chairman
John B. Hundley, Vice-Chairman
G. Breaux Ballard
Francis C. Dickson
Lewis J. Gorin
J. Morton Morris
Lester Sehon
J. King Stewart
George D. Todd
Thomas S. Tuley

Sunday Entertainment.

Rev. Charles Ewell Craik, Chairman
Rev. Wm. Warren Landrum
Rev. R. L. McCready

There were also committees of ladies on *Ladies' Motor Trip,* Mrs. James Ross Todd, Chairman; *Reception at Pendennis Club,* Mrs. George L. Danforth, Chairman; *Ladies' Banquet,* Mrs. S. Thruston Ballard, Chairman.

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OF

THE NATIONAL SOCIETY OF THE SONS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION,

HELD AT LOUISVILLE, KENTUCKY, MAY 1, 2, AND 3, 1911.

The Congress was called to order in regular session, at 10.15 a. m., in the assembly hall of the Louisville Free Public Library, at Fourth and York streets, Louisville, by the President General, William Allen Marble, of New York city.

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: Delegates to the Twenty-second Annual Congress of the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution will please come to order. I have received a telegram from our Chaplain General, the Rev. John Timothy Stone, of Chicago, stating that, owing to an unexpected delay of his train, he will not be here at the opening exercises; and we shall therefore have the pleasure of listening to the Chaplain of the Kentucky Society, the Rev. Dr. Charles Ewell Craik, who will now ask a blessing.

Doctor Craik thereupon led the Congress in repeating the Lord's Prayer, and invoked the divine blessing on the Congress and the work of the Society.

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: The first order of business will be the report of the Committee on Credentials. The members of the committee present are Teunis D. Huntting, of New York, Chairman; Dr. Waldo E. Boardman, of Massachusetts, and Mr. George W. Hyde, of Maryland. Is the Chairman of the Credentials Committee present? I understand the committee is detained for a little while, but will be here presently. If it is the pleasure of the Congress, we will defer that report to a later hour.

Compatriots, it was the intention of the Mayor of the city of Louisville to be present in person and extend a welcome to the National Society, but he has been unavoidably detained, and I have the pleasure of presenting to you Mr. George Lewis Danforth, President of the Kentucky Society, who will extend a welcome in the name of that Society. (Applause.)

Mr. DANFORTH: Mr. President and delegates to the Twenty-second Congress, it was hoped that the Governor of Kentucky would be here to welcome you on this auspicious occasion, and also that the Mayor of Louisville would be present. Both had promised, and both desired to be here; but the Governor was called out of the State, and the

Mayor, at the last moment, was called to another part of the city and cannot be with us. And so upon me devolves the very pleasant task of welcoming you, first, in the name of the Governor, who represents Kentucky and all its citizens; secondly, in the name of the Mayor, who represents the city of Louisville and its citizens, and last but not least, in the name of the Kentucky Society of the Sons of the American Revolution. (Applause.) I am sure that if these two gentlemen were here they would say just what I want to say: that if there is anything you see that you want, take it! (Applause and laughter.) If there is anything you want that you don't see, ask for it (laughter), and if it is not forthcoming immediately, let us know. (Laughter.)

Compatriots, I give you a hearty Kentucky welcome. (Great applause.)

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: Mr. President Danforth, on behalf of the National Society I extend to you our most hearty thanks for this most cordial welcome. We understood before we came to Louisville that everything would be at our service, and we have already realized that, and more. Since we have reached here, we feel that the half had not been told us. (Applause and laughter.)

The next order of business, according to the By-Laws, is the report of your President General on the work done during the past year. I have made this report rather brief, and the detail work done by the various committees will be reported by the chairmen.

ANNUAL ADDRESS OF THE PRESIDENT GENERAL.

COMPATRIOTS: In accordance with our By-Laws it is the duty of the President General to present to you at this time a synopsis of the work performed during the year by the national officers, and also to make suggestions on the condition and needs of the Society.

At the outset I wish to extend to the officers and members of the various State Societies my sincere thanks for the hearty co-operation which they have shown during the past year in matters to which I have at various times called their attention and asked their support. There have been three meetings of the Executive Committee during the year, at which practically every member was present. The first was held in Toledo, immediately after the close of the Congress, at which time the usual appropriations were made to cover the general expenses, and it was ordered that the OFFICIAL BULLETIN should be issued during the year on the same plan as during the previous year, and a copy of each issue mailed to every member of the Society. It was also decided to eliminate from the Year Book the speeches made at the banquet, and thus reduce the cost of the Year Book to quite a considerable extent.

Soon after the adjournment of Congress a request was received from the Washington Memorial Association for the privilege of sending to every member of our organization a request for contributions toward the building of the memorial. I did not consider the matter of serious importance enough to call the Executive Committee together, but in-

stead wrote each one of the members, stating what the request was and asking them to advise me by mail as to their views regarding it. To these letters I received affirmative replies, and, acting on the advice thus obtained, directed the Secretary General to authorize the Washington Memorial Association to send out the literature as suggested, the same to be done at no expense to our Society.

The second meeting of the Executive Committee was held in New York city on November 19, 1910. At that time a resolution was adopted to the effect that every effort should be made by the National Society to secure from Congress an appropriation to complete the crypt in the chapel at Annapolis, in which was to be placed the body of John Paul Jones. In carrying out this resolution two bills were prepared and presented to Congress, the one to the Senate being presented by Senator Rayner, of Maryland, and the one for the House by Compatriot General Loud, of Michigan. As soon as these bills were referred to the proper committees we obtained the list of the members of the two committees and their residences, and a letter was addressed to the President of each State Society in which resided a member of the committees referred to, with the request that every effort be made to induce these members of the committees to report the bills favorably. This suggestion was actively taken up by the Presidents of the various State Societies, and great pressure was thus brought to bear upon the members of the two committees.

In this connection I would refer to the fact that through the courtesy of Vice-President Dewey, of Vermont, a joint resolution was passed by the two branches of the Vermont legislature demanding that their representatives in Congress make every effort within their power to see that the bills above referred to were passed. This joint resolution was signed by the Governor, who is also a member of our Society, and it had a wide influence in producing the results which we were so anxious to obtain. The Naval Committee of the Senate promptly reported out the bill, and it was passed without a dissenting voice. The bill in the House, however, met with serious delays and failed to be reported out, but an amendment was made appropriating the sum of $75,000 instead of the $135,000 asked for. This was reported to the House just before the close of the last session of Congress, and, as the Senate bill called for $135,000, a conference between the Senate and House committees was necessary; and it was only after the most strenuous effort on the part of Compatriot Loud that such a conference was arranged and an agreement made between the two bodies appropriating the $75,000, and this was accomplished late at night, only a few hours before the final adjournment of Congress. The appropriation bill has since received the signature of the President, and there is nothing now to prevent the accomplishment of the work so earnestly desired by our organization; *i. e.,* that the casket containing the body of John Paul Jones, which has so long been exposed to public view, shall within a few months be placed in its final resting place.

In view of the vast amount of work done by Compatriot Loud, of

Michigan, Member of Congress from that State, and the indefatigable energy which he displayed in carrying to a successful termination this matter, so dear to the heart of every Son of the American Revolution, I would suggest that a set of resolutions be prepared by a committee during this Congress showing the appreciation of the National organization for what Compatriot Loud has accomplished. Rear Admiral Baird, the President of the District of Columbia Society, S. A. R., also did yeoman service, and it is also owing to his strenuous efforts that the statue of John Paul Jones, which is to be placed in one of the public parks in Washington, was not placed in juxtaposition to a statue of Commander John Barry, it having been suggested by some of the influences in Washington that these two statues should be placed near each other; but a final appeal to the Art Commission having in charge the public grounds of Washington resulted in having the statue of Jones placed independently to that of Barry, as we feel it was justly entitled to be. Admiral Baird, for the Jefferson Memorial Committee, advises that the bill appropriating $100,000 for a statue of Thomas Jefferson, to be erected in Washington, was offered in the Senate by Senator Bacon on April 11, who on the thirteenth (being the anniversary of the birth of Thomas Jefferson) obtained the unanimous consent of the Senate to call the bill up without reference to a committee, and it was passed unanimously. Further details regarding the work of this committee will be found in their report.

I take great pleasure in reporting that during the year five new State Societies have been organized: one each in North and South Carolina, North and South Dakota, and the Philippine Islands. The formation of the State Societies of North and South Carolina is the result of the strenuous efforts of Commander Moore, Chairman of our Committee of Organization in the South. He began this work under some of my predecessors, and met with great discouragement; but finally, in February last, through the aid of some of the members of the Daughters of the American Revolution in those two States, the requisite number of members was obtained and the Societies formed. The work done by the Committee on Organization in the West, of which Compatriot Guyer is chairman, also calls for special mention. The Society in South Dakota, which had been organized some years ago, had passed into innocuous desuetude with no hope of resuscitation; but Compatriot Guyer, ably assisted by Compatriots Tuttle and Keezer, succeeded in organizing a new Society in that State, as well as one in North Dakota, and these three compatriots have justly earned the title of "the dauntless three."

During the year I have had the pleasure of being the guest at the annual meetings of the State Societies of Vermont, District of Columbia, New Jersey, New York, Illinois, Michigan, and Indiana. I had also arranged to be the guest of the Ohio Society, but at the last moment was detained by illness. Each of the various State Societies visited showed great enthusiasm in the work of the organization, and I am indebted to them for many courtesies.

I have also attended as your representative the unveiling of the statue of the Minute Man at Compo Beach, which was erected by the Connecticut State Society in commemoration of the battle fought at that point during the Revolution; also the celebration attending the placing of a new flagstaff and flag on the battle-ground at Springfield, N. J., under the auspices of the New Jersey State Society. It has been a matter of great regret to me that I could not accept the invitations of more of the State Societies to be their guest at some of their functions, but as so many of them hold these functions on the same date, it was utterly impossible to accept all the invitations, which I would have gladly done had it not been for previous engagements.

My predecessor in his annual report made special reference to the successful chapter which had been organized in Montclair, N. J., by Compatriot George C. Sterling. It was my pleasure to attend a meeting of that chapter, and I can simply re-echo what my predecessor said in connection with the work being done in that locality.

Each succeeding year brings its long list of those of our loved compatriots who have passed into the great beyond, and this year is no exception. They number more than 200; and while many of these have not been known as among the active workers, yet by their efforts as silent workers they had done much to enhance the work of their local Societies, and I regret that time and space will not allow me to call them by name. I cannot, however, let this opportunity pass without speaking of our late compatriot, Theodore H. Eaton, of the Michigan Society, who died November 6, 1910, and who for several years had been a member of the National organization, and whose genial presence and earnest endeavors for the success of our Society made him a welcome guest at so many of our congresses, and in his death not only the Michigan Society, but the National Society as well, has suffered an irreparable loss.

The work done by the various standing committees will be presented to you in their reports, which will come later in our session, and I would call your especial attention to these reports when read.

The cordial relations existing between ours and the sister society, the Daughters of the American Revolution, during the past years have continued, and in several cases the latter have joined in the celebrations undertaken by the Sons. As your President General I was invited by the President General of the Daughters to make an address at the opening of the recent session of their congress, and also to be the guest of honor at their reception which was to follow. Owing to my unfortunate physical condition, however, I was unable to be present, but sent a copy of an address which I had prepared for the occasion, and which was very flatteringly received.

I am very glad to be able to report that the permanent fund of the National Society, which was established one year ago at the suggestion of the District of Columbia Society, now amounts to $2,391.50, of which $2,111.00 was the subscriptions made to the fund at the Congress, and $280.50 the rebates on rosettes, etc., purchased during the year. The

Finance Committee has purchased two New York city four per cent bonds at a cost of $1,987.50, and they are deposited in a safe-deposit box in New York city, which can be opened only in the presence of two members of the Finance Committee. The balance of the fund is deposited in the Broadway Savings Bank, of New York city, which pays four per cent interest, and I wish to congratulate the Society upon the prompt manner in which this fund has been accumulated.

In concluding this brief report, which I heartily regret does not contain a record of more and better things done by your President General, I wish to extend my personal thanks to my associate officers and the members of the Executive Committee for the cordial support which they have given me during my administration, and while I shall at the close of this Congress lay aside the great honor which you conferred upon me a year ago, I shall always retain the pleasantest memories of what to me has been one of the happiest years of my life and which has brought honors far beyond my fondest hopes, and in returning to the ranks I shall be more ready than ever to work shoulder to shoulder with those who have at heart the interests of the Sons of the American Revolution.

(The reading of the President's address was received with hearty manifestations of approval.)

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: Is the Committee on Credentials ready to report now? I see the chairman, Mr. Huntting, has arrived.

Mr. HUNTTING: Mr. President General, the Committee on Credentials begs to report that up to this time we have 127 delegates present, including 10 general officers. (Reads the list by States.)

(Moved and seconded that the report of the committee as far as made be accepted and the committee continued, with power to add to the roll such delegates as may come in later. Motion carried.)

REPORT OF CREDENTIALS COMMITTEE.

The final report of the Credentials Committee on May 3 showed that 134 accredited members of the Congress were then in attendance, as follows:

NATIONAL SOCIETY OFFICERS.

President General, Wm. A. Marble, of New York city; Vice-President General, R. C. Ballard Thruston, of Louisville, Ky.; Vice-President General, Wm. T. Dewey, of Montpelier, Vt.; Secretary-Registrar General, A. Howard Clark, of Washington, D. C.; Treasurer General, John H. Burroughs, of New York city; Historian General, David L. Pierson, of East Orange, N. J.; Chaplain General, Rev. John Timothy Stone, D. D., of Chicago; ex-Presidents General, Hon. C. A. Pugsley of New York, Gen. E. S. Greeley and Hon. Morris B. Beardsley of Connecticut, Nelson A. McClary of Chicago, and Hon. Jas. Denton Hancock of Pennsylvania.

State Society Delegates.

ARIZONA.

Rev. Lewis Halsey.

COLORADO.

Dr. Clarkson N. Guyer, Wardner Williams.

CONNECTICUT.

Leverett Belknap, William E. Chandler, Lewis B. Curtis, J. Coolidge Hills, Rufus E. Holmes, George W. Jackman, Seymour C. Loomis, Clarence H. Wickham, Dr. George C. F. Williams.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.

Maj. George A. Armes, Rear Admiral George W. Baird, John Mason Brown, Wm. A. De Caindry, Col. G. C. Kniffin, Phillip F. Larner, Albert D. Spangler, Col. William B. Thompson.

ILLINOIS.

Maj. William G. Adkins, Louis A. Bowman, Henry L. Green, Col. George V. Lauman, E. L. Monrose, La Verne W. Noyes, Wm. P. Reed, Thomas H. Smith, Hart Vance, Rev. Joseph A. Vance, John D. Vandercook, Augustus W. Wheeler, G. Newton Wright.

INDIANA.

George O. Dix, Inman H. Fowler, Clarence A. Kenyon, Merrill Moores, Dr. J. Rollin Morgan, Horace C. Starr, and one other delegate.

IOWA.

Elmer M. Wentworth.

KENTUCKY.

S. Thruston Ballard, E. T. Burnam, George L. Danforth, Col. John C. Lewis, W. W. Stephenson, J. Ross Todd, Rear Admiral J. C. Watson.

MARYLAND.

Edward F. Arthurs, Maj. George W. Hyde, Dr. James D. Iglehart, T. M. Maynadier, James D. Norris, John H. Orem, Jr.

MASSACHUSETTS.

Dr. Waldo E. Boardman, Webster Bruce, Edwin S. Crandon, John G. Moseley, Dr. Moses Greeley Parker, T. Julian Silsby.

MICHIGAN.

George H. Barbour, Franklin S. Dewey, Richard H. Fyfe, Albert M. Henry, William P. Holliday, Howard A. Ladue.

MISSOURI.

Linn Paine, Col. John L. RoBards.

MONTANA.

Leslie P. Sulgrove.

NEW JERSEY.

Col. Oscar H. Condit, Joseph Holmes, George R. Howe, N. Perry Howell, Russell W. Lewis, Charles M. Lum, Lebbeus B. Miller, Dr. G. Herbert Richards, Rev. W. F. Whitaker, D. D., Thomas W. Williams.

NEW YORK (EMPIRE STATE SOCIETY).

Joseph M. Bacon, George D. Bangs, Leslie J. Bennett, William A. Galpin, Nath'l T. Hawkins, Norman P. Heffley, Frank L. Hoff, Teunis D. Huntting, Abner Ketcham, William S. Kitchell, David A. Morrison, Jesse Peterson, Dr. William V. Randall, Clinton Rogers, P. Valentine Sherwood, Frank B. Steele, Hon. George R. Sutherland, George L. Walker, Charles H. Wight.

OHIO.

E. R. Booth, Mozart Gallup, Col. I. F. Mack, Junius H. McHenry, C. F. M. Niles, Dr. William F. Pierce, Wm. D. Royce, Dr. Harris G. Sherman, Earl D. Van Deman, John N. Van Deman.

PENNSYLVANIA.

Col. R. W. Guthrie, Sam'l D. Hubley, Edward King, J. S. Du Shane, Le Moyne L. Parkinson, Col. John P. Penney, William A. Stritmater.

RHODE ISLAND.

Lieut. Carroll B. Hodges, Gen. Charles L. Hodges, Hon. Charles D. Kimball, Wm. Prescott Potter, Louis Franklin Snow.

VERMONT.

George H. Cross.

WISCONSIN.

K. K. Kennan, Hon. W. J. Turner.

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: The next business in regular order is the reading of the minutes of the last annual Congress.

Judge BEARDSLEY: Mr. President General, the minutes of our last Congress have been published in the OFFICIAL BULLETIN and in the Year Book, and I move you, sir, that they be considered as read and approved.

(Motion seconded and carried.)

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: The next thing in order will be the report of the Board of Trustees and Executive Committee, which I will ask the Secretary General to read.

REPORT OF BOARD OF TRUSTEES AND EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

The Board of Trustees elected at the twenty-first Congress held its first meeting on Tuesday afternoon, May 3, at the Hotel Secor, Toledo. The nominations by the President General for members of the Executive Committee were approved by the board. The President General, the Treasurer General, and ex-President General Pugsley were appointed a committee to have charge of the investment of the Permanent Fund. It was voted to accept with thanks an invitation from the Kentucky Society to hold the Congress of 1911 at Louisville. Appropriations were made for expenses of the office of Secretary General and Registrar General; for the publication of the OFFICIAL BULLETIN and the National Year Book; for expenses of the Committees on Education, and on Information for Aliens; and the usual amount was allotted toward the expenses of the twenty-second annual Congress. Various matters of the Society were discussed and action thereon referred to the Executive Committee.

On May 4, 1910, the newly appointed Executive Committee met at the Hotel Secor, Toledo, and acted on various matters referred to it by the Congress and by the Trustees, including recommendations concerning advance work, and the locating and marking of the graves of Signers of the Declaration of Independence and of other prominent patriots of the Revolutionary period.

There was also considered the more uniform regulation of local Chapters under the State Societies and the advantages of increasing the number of these Chapters.

The increase and investment of the newly established Permanent Fund was discussed. The President General was given full authority in the appointment of the standing and special committees.

The next meeting of the Executive Committee was held at Bretton Hall, New York, on November 19, 1910, all the members of the committee being present; also the Treasurer General and the Secretary General. The Treasurer General reported the condition of the Permanent Fund and the investment of part of the sum in a four per cent bond, and it was arranged that the temporarily uninvested portion of the fund be kept in a savings bank in a special account.

The President General reported on the condition of several State Societies he had visited, and upon his suggestion a resolution was adopted calling upon the State Secretaries to urge the government to complete the John Paul Jones crypt at Annapolis. Reports were received from the Societies in New York, New Jersey, and Maryland, showing progress made toward the marking of graves of the Signers in those States.

A charter was authorized for the Philippine Society when the requisite number of eligible applicants shall have filed their papers. Reports were received showing progress in the formation of new Societies in the West and South.

Reports were also received and considered concerning the work of the Committee on Information for Aliens, the Flag Committee, and the Committee on Naval Records. A committee of one was authorized to take necessary action in regard to the wearing of the Society's insignia in France.

The President General was authorized to appoint a National Committee on Arrangements for the Louisville Congress.

Various other matters of routine business were acted on as recorded in the proceedings published in the December OFFICIAL BULLETIN.

The last meeting of the Executive Committee was held at the Seelbach Hotel, Louisville, April 30, 1911.

The Board of Trustees met on May 1, 1911, at the Seelbach Hotel, Louisville.

(Moved and seconded that the report as read be received, approved, and placed on file, and that the various matters referred to and recommended therein be taken up for discussion later during the Congress. Carried.)

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: The next business in order is the report of the Treasurer General, Mr. Burroughs.

The TREASURER GENERAL: Delegates to the National Congress, your President General has already spoken to you of the Permanent Fund, but there is an additional reference to it that I would like to make. President Dewey, of the Vermont Society, informs me that his Society now contributes $50 towards that fund. (Applause.) This is in addition to the subscription of last year. I hope that his example and that of the Vermont Society may be followed by such Societies as have not heretofore contributed to this fund, and I am sure your President General will be ready to hear a response from any Society that may wish to contribute to the Permanent Fund.

REPORT OF THE TREASURER GENERAL.

PRESIDENT GENERAL AND COMPATRIOTS OF THE NATIONAL SOCIETY OF THE SONS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION: The Treasurer General has the honor to submit the following report of the receipts and disbursements for the fiscal year ending April 25, 1911.

There has been subscribed and paid in to the Permanent Fund $2,111; also there has been credited to this fund rebates received for insignia and rosettes amounting to $280.52. There has been invested $1,987.50 of the Permanent Fund in two $1,000 New York city 4's, leaving on hand to the credit of this fund uninvested $404.02, of which $354.02 is deposited in the Broadway Savings Institution, of New York city, at four per cent interest.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN H. BURROUGHS,
Treasurer General.

April 25, 1911.

April 25, 1910, balance on hand $7,764.60

RECEIPTS.

Annual dues:		
1907	$1.00	
1908	16.50	
1909	35.50	
1910	499.00	
1911	5,167.00	
		$5,719.00
Certificates		687.50
Application and supplemental blanks		120.50
Subscriptions to Permanent Fund		2,111.00
Rebates received credited to Permanent Fund		280.52
Medals		18.00
Interest		181.51
		9,118.03
		$16,882.63

DISBURSEMENTS.

Appropriation for 1911 Congress		$500.00
Salary of Secretary General and Registrar General		1,200.00
Printing and mailing Year Book		648.91
Printing and mailing OFFICIAL BULLETINS:		
May, 1910	$453.56	
October, 1910	319.04	
December, 1910	269.23	
March, 1911	439.37	
		1,481.20
Sundry printing, postage, and expressage		378.89
American Bank Note Co., certificates		201.25
Engrossing certificates, work on records, and clerical help to Registrar General		513.66
Dr. C. N. Guyer, Organization Committee		371.15
Com'd'r John H. Moore, Organization Committee (South)		46.90
Reporting 1910 Congress		71.00
Fidelity bond		35.00
Expenses Secretary General attending Toledo Congress		52.65
Expenses Secretary General attending meeting Executive Committee in New York city		29.70
Expenses Secretary General, postage and expressage		15.00
Sundry expenses, Treasurer General		7.58
Rosettes and ribbons		13.93
Cable message to Manila		5.60
Collection out-of-town checks		6.36
Books		5.26
Leather bag		9.00
Rent safe-deposit safe		5.00
Filing cases, guides, and folders		44.30
Charters for new Societies		8.50
Paper tubes		10.50
Committee on Aliens		13.10
Immigration information expenses		10.00

Permanent Fund investment account, $2,000 New York city 4's	1,987.50	
Interest accrued on above	14.33	
		7,686.27
Balance on hand April 25, 1911		$9,196.36

$8,842.34 in U. S. Mtge. & T. Co.
354.02 in Broadway Savings Inst.

JOHN H. BURROUGHS,
Treasurer General.

Examined and found correct.

WM. A. DE CAINDRY, *Chairman,*
T. W. WILLIAMS,
F. B. STEELE,
JOHN D. VANDERCOOK,
Auditing Committee.

DETAILS OF RECEIPTS FOR FISCAL YEAR ENDING APRIL 25, 1911.

States.	Annual Dues.					Certificates.	Application and Supplemental Blanks.	Total.
	1907	1908	1909	1910	1911			
Alabama								
Arizona					$25.50	$2.00		$27.50
Arkansas					15.00			15.00
California					215.50	9.00	$6.25	230.75
Connecticut					434.00	58.00		492.00
Colorado						2.00	5.40	7.40
Dist. of Columbia					245.00	5.00	11.55	261.55
Delaware			$20.00	$20.00	20.00			60.00
Empire State					667.00	134.00	24.25	825.25
Florida								
Hawaii				46.50				46.50
Idaho				1.50	14.50			16.00
Illinois					313.00	106.00	5.40	424.40
Indiana					112.50			112.50
Iowa					145.00	37.00	5.50	187.50
Kansas				4.50		1.00		5.50
Kentucky					60.00	35.00	7.20	102.20
Louisiana								
Maine					187.50	26.00	2.75	216.25
Maryland					134.50	14.00	2.75	151.25
Massachusetts					779.00	20.00	7.10	806.10
Michigan				183.50	189.50	28.00	3.60	404.60
Minnesota				139.00		22.00	3.60	164.60
Mississippi						23.00		23.00
Missouri				19.00	33.00			52.00
Montana		$15.50	14.00	15.00				44.50
Nebraska					61.00	15.00		76.00
Nevada								
New Hampshire					144.00	9.00		153.00
New Jersey					286.50	10.00	15.05	311.55
New Mexico				20.50	22.50		2.00	45 00
North Dakota					11.50			11.50
North Carolina							5.60	5.60
Ohio	$1.00	1.00	1.50	9.50	211.00			224.00
Oklahoma								
Oregon					55.50			55.50
Pennsylvania					299.00	61.00	6.25	366.25
Rhode Island					160.50	20.00		180.50
Texas					38.50	6.00		44.50
Utah				40.00	35.00	1.00		76.00
Vermont					129.00	9.00		138.00
Virginia						2.50		2.50
Washington					107.00		6.25	113.25
Wisconsin								
Wyoming					15.50	32.00		47.50
	$1.00	$16.50	$35.50	$499.00	$5,167.00	$687.50	$120.50	$6,527.00

Permanent Fund subscriptions	2,111.00
Rebates received credited to Permanent Fund	280.52
Cash received for medals	18.00
Interest	181.50
	$9,118.03

DETAILS OF DISBURSEMENTS OF THE TREASURER GENERAL OF THE NATIONAL SOCIETY, S. A. R., FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING APRIL 25, 1911.

1910.			
May	9.	A. Howard Clark, salary for Apr., Sec. Gen.. $50.00	
	9.	A. Howard Clark, salary for Apr., Reg. Gen.. 50.00	
			$100.00
	9.	A. Howard Clark, expenses attending Toledo Congress	52.65
	16.	U. S. Mortgage & Trust Co., collections for April...	1.66
	16.	Annin & Company, rosettes.....	3.68
	16.	Woodward & Lothrop, Inc., bag.....	9.00
	16.	Judd & Detweiler, envelopes and printing.....	149.25
	23.	Benedict & Benedict, indemnity bond.....	35.00
	23.	Central Law Reporting Co., reporting proceedings of Toledo Congress	71.00
June	2.	A. Howard Clark, salary for May, Sec. Gen.. $50.00	
	2.	A. Howard Clark, salary for May, Reg. Gen.. 50.00	
			100.00
	15.	S. C. Brown, engrossing certificates, work on records.	105.81
	15.	Judd & Detweiler, printing and mailing May BULLETIN	453.56
	15.	Judd & Detweiler, sundry printing.....	156.69
July	5.	A. Howard Clark, salary for June, Sec. Gen.. $50.00	
	5.	A. Howard Clark, salary for June Reg. Gen.. 50.00	
			100.00
	13.	Permanent Fund investment account, paid Blake Bros. & Co. for $1,000 bond N. Y. city 4's, 1958...	990.00
	14.	Judd & Detweiler, printing, etc.....	21.82
Aug.	2.	A. Howard Clark, salary for July Sec. Gen... $50.00	
	2.	A. Howard Clark, salary for July Reg. Gen... 50.00	
			100.00
	10.	American Bank Note Co., certificates.....	157.50
	10.	S. C. Brown, engrossing certificates, clerical work...	67.70
	10.	Judd & Detweiler, printing, etc.....	11.00
	10.	North America Safe Deposit Co., rent of safe.....	5.00
Sept.	2.	A. Howard Clark, salary for Aug., Sec. Gen.. $50.00	
	2.	A. Howard Clark, salary for Aug., Reg. Gen.. 50.00	
			100.00
Oct.	4.	A. Howard Clark, salary for Sept., Sec. Gen.. $50.00	
	4.	A. Howard Clark, salary for Sept., Reg. Gen.. 50.00	
			100.00
	18.	John U. Perkins, clerical work on Year Book.....	25.00
	18.	Judd & Detweiler, printing, etc.....	5.50
Nov.	2.	Robert A. Jonscher, work on OFFICIAL BULLETIN....	12.00
	2.	S. C. Brown, engrossing certificates, clerical work...	71.85
	2.	A. Howard Clark, salary for Oct., Sec. Gen.. $50.00	
	2.	A. Howard Clark, salary for Oct., Reg. Gen.. 50.00	
			100.00
	28.	The Lord Baltimore Press, printing and mailing Year Book	648.91
	28.	Judd & Detweiler, printing and mailing October OFFICIAL BULLETIN	319.04
Dec.	3.	A. Howard Clark, salary for Nov., Sec. Gen.. $50.00	
	3.	A. Howard Clark, salary for Nov., Reg. Gen.. 50.00	
			100.00
	3.	A. Howard Clark, expenses attending meeting of Executive Committee, Nov. 19, New York city.....	29.70
	22.	American Bank Note Co., certificates.....	43.75
	22.	Judd & Detweiler, printing, etc.....	13.95
	22.	S. C. Brown, engrossing certificates, clerical work...	55.95
	27.	Annin & Company, ribbon.....	1.25

Dec. 28.	Permanent Fund investment account, paid W. G. Wiley & Co. for $1,000 bond, N. Y. city 4's, 1958....		$997.50
	28. Interest, 1 month, 27 days, on above.....		6.33
As of July 13.	Interest, 2 months, 12 days, accrued on purchase N. Y. city 4's on this date.....		8.00
1911.			
Jan.	3. A. Howard Clark, salary for Dec., Sec. Gen..	$50.00	
	3. A. Howard Clark, salary for Dec., Reg. Gen..	50.00	
			100.00
	9. Judd & Detweiler, printing and mailing Dec. BULLETIN		269.23
	30. Yawman & Erbe Mfg. Co., filing cases, etc.....		44.30
Feb.	1. A. Howard Clark, salary for Jan., Sec. Gen..	$50.00	
	1. A. Howard Clark, salary for Jan., Reg. Gen..	50.00	
			100.00
	16. W. F. Roberts Co., charters for new Societies.....		8.50
	16. Annin & Co., rosettes for Organization Committee...		9.00
	16. S. C. Brown, engrossing certificates, clerical work, etc.		47.95
	17. Clarkson N. Guyer, for Committee on Organization..		371.15
	20. A. Howard Clark, cable message to Manila.....		5.60
	28. A. Howard Clark, salary for Feb., Sec. Gen..	$50.00	
	28. A. Howard Clark, salary for Feb., Reg. Gen..	50.00	
			100.00
Mar.	7. J. Richard Riggles, Jr., assistance to Reg. Gen. on indexes, etc.		24.00
	7. Judd & Detweiler, printing, etc.....		20.68
	7. Mrs. Dansky Dandridge, books.....		5.26
	16. George T. Wood, Treas. Kentucky Society, contribution of the National Society towards expenses of the Louisville Congress.....		500.00
	21. The Randolph Paper Box Co., paper tubes.....		10.50
	23. A. Howard Clark, postage and expressage.....		15.00
	25. John H. Moore, expenses of Committee on Aliens...		13.10
	25. John H. Moore, expenses of Committee on Organization (South)		46.90
Apr.	3. A. Howard Clark, salary for Mar., Sec. Gen..	$50.00	
	3. A. Howard Clark, salary for Mar., Reg. Gen..	50.00	
			100.00
	4. S. C. Brown, engrossing certificates, clerical work, etc.		103.40
	7. Judd & Detweiler, printing and mailing Mar. BULLETIN		439.37
	7. J. J. Pauksytis and K. Brazys, immigrant information expense.....		10.00
	14. U. S. Mtge. & Tr. Co., collections, items for March..		1.88
	24. U. S. Mtge. & Tr. Co., collections for out of town, items for May, June, August, September, October, November, December, February.....		2.82
	24. John H. Burroughs, sundry expenses, postage and expressage		7.58
			$7,686.27

(Moved and seconded that the report of the Treasurer General be received, approved, and placed on file. Carried.)

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: Are there any subscriptions to be made, carrying out the suggestion of Treasurer General Burroughs? If so, the President General will entertain them at this time.

PRESENTATION OF STAR-SPANGLED BANNER.

Mr. R. C. B. THRUSTON, of Kentucky: Mr. President General, may I ask that the regular order be dispensed with for a moment? We have a matter that we wish to bring before the Congress at this time.

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: Compatriots, you have heard the request coming from the Kentucky Society that we dispense with the regular order of business for a few moments. What is your pleasure?

(On motion, unanimous consent is given.)

Thereupon Mr. Thruston and others escorted to the platform, amid the applause of the delegates, Gen. Simon Bolivar Buckner, of Kentucky.

Mr. DANFORTH, of Kentucky: Compatriots, I do not believe it is necessary to introduce to any Kentuckian this old soldier of many wars, but I want the honor of introducing to the delegates from the country at large Gen. Simon Bolivar Buckner, of this State, who has fought in all the wars I ever heard of in this country! (Applause.)

General BUCKNER: Mr. President General, it is a pleasant duty that devolves upon me, sir, this morning. It is the custom of all nations to appoint some significant emblem which will serve to distinguish their nationality from that of all other peoples. The Muscovite has his bear, the Prussian his double eagle, the Frenchman his tricolor, the Turk his crescent moon. The conquering legions of Rome, following the triumphant flights of their eagle, overran and subdued to their sway most of the nations of antiquity. We, too, sir, have our American eagle. As described by a patriotic scion of Revolutionary ancestry, this noble bird stands with one talon resting on the summit of the Alleghanies, the other grasping the loftiest peaks of the Rocky Mountains. He waves one wing over the storm-swept Atlantic, the other over the placid waters of the broad Pacific Ocean. He dips his beak in the frozen lakes of the north, while his tail feathers flutter over the torrid waters of the Gulf of Mexico. (Applause.) It is the effigy of this remarkable bird that sits perched upon the standard that bears aloft our national colors, which were selected as an appropriate emblem by our Revolutionary sires.

At the close of the War of Independence each of the thirteen Colonies was recognized by Great Britain as a free and independent sovereignty. But these several States, instead of pursuing each its separate way amongst the nations of the earth, thought it proper to merge their own individuality into one greater nationality, choosing for their emblem—and very appropriately—a flag with thirteen stripes, alternately red and white, with thirteen stars on an azure field, thus creating, as has been said, a new constellation in the firmament of nations. (Applause.)

But as the heavenly bodies, in their ceaseless journey through space, attract to themselves new particles of matter, so in our own progress amongst the nations of the world we have gathered about us new materials out of which to form new commonwealths to be added to this constellation. When, therefore, in this process of accretion, we added,

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in 1792, Vermont and Kentucky to our Union, the flag was changed to accord with these modified conditions by adding two stripes and two stars to the flag already designed. This continued to be our national flag until 1818, when the present law was enacted, by which the stripes were reduced to thirteen—typical of the thirteen original States—while for each new State admitted to the Union a new star glittered in the constellation. (Applause.) But it was the flag of fifteen stars and fifteen stripes that waved over our battalions during our last conflict with Great Britain. It was under this flag that we captured at New Orleans the inspiring air which still cheers our soldiers when they break up their camps—"The Girl I Left Behind Me!" (Laughter and applause.) It was this flag that floated over the ramparts of Fort McHenry during that "perilous fight"—the banner that "so proudly was hail'd at the twilight's last gleaming." (Applause.) This was the flag that inspired Francis Scott Key to write the words of our National Anthem. This identical flag is now preserved in the Smithsonian Institution, in Washington city.

Now an exact copy of that flag has been caused to be made by our patriotic comrade, Mr. Ballard Thruston (applause), and it is my privilege today to present, in the name of the Kentucky Society, this flag, thus provided by our compatriots, to the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution. (Great applause, which is long-continued as the flag is waved before the Congress by President Danforth, of the Kentucky Society.) And as it waves over the descendants of those who designed it, let it be greeted by the martial strains of the air which it inspired, "The Star-Spangled Banner."

"And long may it wave
O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave."

(Great and prolonged applause greeted the conclusion of General Buckner's remarks in presenting the flag, and in the midst of it, with patriotic fervor running at full tide, Miss Florence M. Bertelle, of Louisville, came forward in front of the President General's stand and began to sing, with the clear notes of her beautiful and cultivated soprano voice, the soul-stirring strains of "The Star-Spangled Banner," which were instantly taken up by the convention as one man and carried to conclusion with great enthusiasm and spirit. It was the climax to a highly dramatic scene, as the venerable hero of many wars, typical soldier as he was with his martial bearing, stood beside the flag of his country, so rich in suggestion of her glorious history, while the lines of the inspired and matchless anthem were sung with patriotic fire.)

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: General Buckner, the series of pleasant surprises which have come to us since we arrived in Louisville has now been capped by the presentation of this flag from the Kentucky Society, and it is doubly dear to us coming from your hands as a man who has fought under the two flags. (Applause.) And if, as some believe, the spirits of those who have gone before still hover round us, shall we

not say to the spirit of Francis Scott Key, in answer to his question, "Does the star-spangled banner still wave?" "Yes; not the flag as you knew it, with but fifteen stars in its blue field, as it floated over Fort McHenry, when you wrote those beautiful lines, but a flag with forty-eight stars that floats over a nation wide, extending from ocean to ocean; yes, and to the isles of the sea." (Applause.)

It has been well said, General Buckner, that the sun never sets on Old Glory, for when the last rays of the setting sun are kissing its drooping folds good-night in the Philippines, the first rays of the morning sun are gilding its flowing folds in Porto Rico.

In accepting this flag on behalf of the National Society well may we say:

Where'er an American is today,
On land or on the sea,
Whether at home or far away—
A priest or layman he—
Let patriotism have full sway;
All other thoughts dissever.
I pledge this toast that, come what may—
The Stars and Stripes forever!

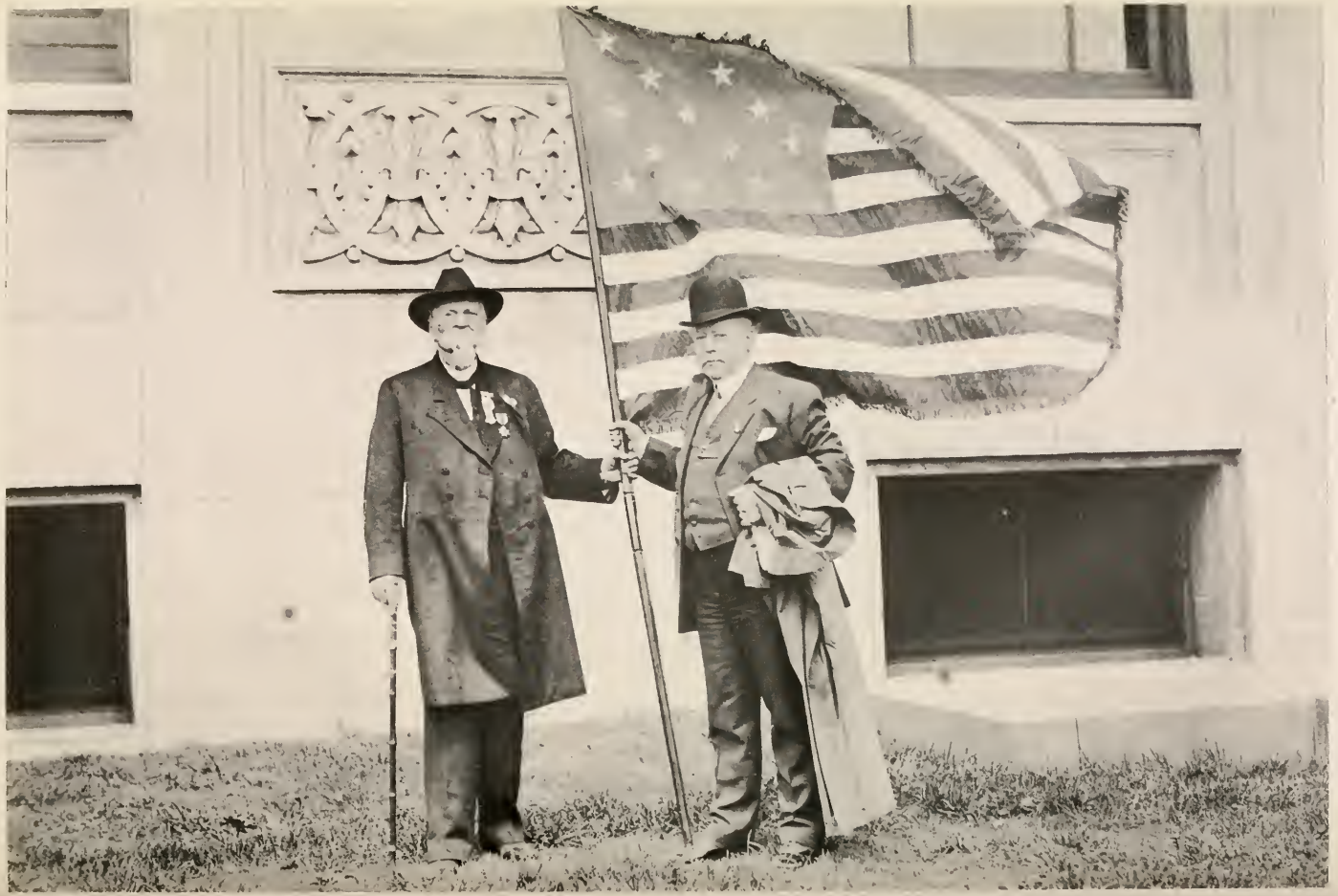
General Buckner: Mr. President General, permit me a slight digression, as you have alluded to this flag. It was my privilege sixty-three years ago, after we had occupied the City of Mexico, to lead a party of officers to the summit of Mount Popocatapetl, 18,000 feet above the sea. There it was my privilege to plant upon that summit, in a clime of eternal snow, over a region of perpetual fire in the crater, the flag of America, where it was greeted by the first rays of the sun rising over the Atlantic and received its last parting look as it sank behind the waves of the great Pacific Ocean. (Applause.) It was there planted, and, in imitation of the Spaniards of the olden time, I claimed for the United States government all the lands the flag floated over! (Applause.)

(At the conclusion of the flag presentation, opportunity was given to make a flashlight photograph of the President General's stand and surroundings, showing General Buckner beside the flag, which was held by President Danforth, of the Kentucky Society.)

The President General: I would like to ask Compatriot Thruston if he has any more surprises at this present moment. (Laughter.) Then we will resume the regular order of business. The next thing in order will be the report of the Secretary General. I have the honor and pleasure of presenting our Secretary General, Mr. A. Howard Clark. (Applause.)

REPORT OF THE SECRETARY GENERAL.

Compatriots: Twenty-one years ago today there was in session in this city the First Annual Congress of the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, which was organized on April 30, 1889, in the historic Fraunces Tavern, New York, on the one hundredth anni-



GENERAL BUCKNER AND PRESIDENT DANFORTH. THE STAR-SPANGLED BANNER

versary of the inauguration of George Washington as the first President of the United States of America. The Society had been formed by the union of nine independent societies of descendants of the patriots of the War for Independence, one of the societies, the pioneer of them all—the Sons of Revolutionary Sires—formed in San Francisco in 1875. The new National Society grew rapidly. Its first Congress was welcomed to Kentucky by our compatriot, the Hon. Simon Bolivar Buckner, then Governor of this Commonwealth, who extended hearty hospitality to the forty delegates representing twenty-seven State Societies with a membership of 2,500. Today the Twenty-second Annual Congress is here assembled, with delegates representing fifty Societies with a total enrollment of 23,536 members. Again we are welcomed to the Blue Grass State. Among the delegates at that first Congress, some of whom are here today, were Vice-President General Buckner, Hon. William Lindsay, Col. Thomas Speed, and Col. E. Polk Johnson, of Kentucky; Judge Edgerton and Captain Moffatt, of Minnesota; Don J. Whittemore and Capt. Charles King, of Wisconsin; Hon. William E. English, of Indiana; Hon. Edwin Shepard Barrett, of Massachusetts; Rev. W. R. Parsons, of Ohio; Gen. Alexander S. Webb, John J. Hubbell, J. C. Pumpelly, and P. B. Fairchild, of New Jersey, and other well-known members of the organization.

Among the resolutions adopted at that Congress was one urging upon the Federal government to make adequate provision and appropriation for the preservation, classification, and indexing of the Revolutionary archives then scattered in various department buildings in Washington. That work has been done.

It is not expected of the Secretary General that he review the progress of the Society during these intervening years, the accomplishments of the organization in promoting the spirit of patriotism, in erecting monuments, tablets, and other memorials of the men and events of the Revolutionary period. The story is too long to bear recital here. Perhaps one of the principal acts of the Congress at Louisville in 1890 was the adoption of a constitution that set loose from its fold some two score patriotic women who had been enrolled as honorary members of the Sons of the American Revolution. A few patriotic women, nothing daunted, encouraged by their brothers in the cause of patriotism, founded a society of their own, the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution, which has enrolled more than 87,000 women. These two great bodies of Sons and Daughters, with a combined present active strength of more than 75,000 men and women, are exerting a mighty influence in the land.

Our compatriots were not backward when the call to arms was heard for the War with Spain. Several hundred of them responded to that call and, by resolution of our Annual Congress at Detroit, on May 1, 1899, the first anniversary of the capture of Manila, to each of these compatriots there has been awarded a diploma and medal of honor for their services in that war. During the past year nine of these medals have been awarded, as follows:

Leonard Furlong, Massachusetts Society, private Company A, Seventh United States Infantry.

Norman King Robb, Illinois Society, served in the Houston Light Guards, Company A, First Texas Volunteers.

Charles Theodore Wilt, Illinois Society, captain Company G, First Illinois Volunteers.

Harry Bayley Chamberlin, Vermont Society, quartermaster sergeant First Vermont Volunteers, captain, assistant quartermaster.

Edward H. Prouty, Vermont Society, first lieutenant First Vermont Infantry.

James Charles Peabody, Massachusetts Society, petty officer on U. S. ship "Lehigh."

Olin Royal Booth, Massachusetts Society, private and corporal Seventh United States Cavalry.

John W. Clary, Massachusetts Society, private Fifth Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry.

Philip Rose Crippen, Illinois Society, corporal Company C, First Illinois Volunteer Infantry.

The Secretary General prepared and issued during the year four numbers of the OFFICIAL BULLETIN aggregating 149 pages. These have been distributed to every member of the organization. The size of each issue is necessarily limited to an average of 36 pages in order to keep within the appropriation of $1,800 for its publication. It is believed that the BULLETIN accomplishes much good in keeping the members informed of the doings of the State Societies and of the national committees. It is impossible with the necessary limitation of expenditure to include information that would be of interest and valuable, but which is beyond the jurisdiction of the Society. The present limitation may be advisable as well as a necessity.

The National Year Book was published in somewhat condensed form at a saving of about $400 over the year preceding. It was distributed free to the general officers, the trustees, chairmen of national committees, officers of State Societies, and Presidents of local Chapters, and the remainder of the total edition of 750 copies was offered to members generally at 15 cents each to cover cost of handling and mailing. A like condensation and distribution seems advisable for the 1911 Year Book.

The several national committees have made satisfactory progress in their lines of work. The Organization Committees have been notably active. The Committee for the South, under the chairmanship of Commander John H. Moore, has organized a Society in North Carolina and one in South Carolina. In the Northwest the committee under the leadership of Doctor Guyer organized new Societies in North Dakota and South Dakota. On February 17 a cable message was sent to Manila announcing that a charter was granted for the Philippine Society, which had been in formation under the guidance of Judge Lobingier, of the Nebraska Society.

The committees on Education, on Information for Aliens, on Desecration of the Flag, on Muster and Pension Rolls, the Memorial Com-

mittee, and the Committee on National Parks will report to this Congress on the work of the year, and the details need not be repeated by the Secretary General.

The statistical reports as well as the annual statements of the condition and operations of the several State Societies show a marked activity throughout the country in many lines of patriotic work. Everywhere there have been celebrations of anniversaries of events of the War for Independence, and brilliant addresses have been made on these occasions. Many of these celebrations were honored by the presence of the President General. All have been reported as fully as practicable in the OFFICIAL BULLETIN.

Among the memorials of the Revolution erected by the Societies since the Toledo Congress, I may mention the life-size bronze statue of "The Minute Man" erected by the Connecticut Society and unveiled on June 17 at Compo Beach to commemorate the heroism of the patriots who defended their country when the British under General Tryon invaded Connecticut in April, 1777. The Massachusetts Society has placed a handsome bronze tablet on the Hotel Essex, Boston, on the site of the birthplace of Gen. Henry Knox, and during the year has marked the graves of 102 Revolutionary soldiers in that State. The Kentucky Society and the Ohio Society are planning to mark large numbers of graves in those States. A pleasing annual custom of the Louisiana Society is to assemble on All Saints' Day in the old St. Louis Cemetery, New Orleans, to decorate with the colors of the Sons of the American Revolution and with ferns and delicate flowers, and with American, Spanish, and French flags, the graves of French and Spanish soldiers there buried who aided the cause of American independence.

The Maryland Society has erected a granite monument at the grave of William Paca, Signer of the Declaration of Independence, which will be dedicated on May 13 with appropriate ceremonies.

The Colorado and Michigan Societies have given special attention to the reading of historical papers and discussions thereon at stated meetings held during the winter months.

The National Society officially participated in the dedication of statues erected in Washington to the memory of General Pulaski, Count Kosciuzsco, and Baron Von Steuben.

On April 13, 1911, the Senate of the United States appropriated $100,000 for the erection of a statue to Thomas Jefferson, a measure urged at the Congresses of this Society in Baltimore and Toledo, and on the same day the Senate also passed a bill, introduced by our Compatriot Henry Cabot Lodge, appropriating a like amount of $100,000 for a statue to Alexander Hamilton, both of these statues to be erected in the city of Washington.

There can be no doubt as to the advantage of a fuller development of the local Chapter as a means of increasing the general interest in this organization. During the last two or three years there has been a manifest growth in the active work of the Chapters and many of them have held large and enthusiastic gatherings. A number of new Chap-

ters have been organized and others are in process of formation, and it seems to be the general experience that the interest of members living in widely separated localities can only thus be kept alive. The phenomenal growth of the Daughters of the American Revolution is very largely due to its organization into several thousand local chapters, the chapter being the unit.

In compliance with a vote of the Toledo Congress, there was sent to each of the State Societies a preamble and resolutions calling upon each Society to urge the establishment by the States of New Jersey and Pennsylvania, with the co-operation of the Federal government, of a national park on the Delaware River near Trenton, to commemorate the historic crossing by the Continental Army under command of General Washington. The chairman of the Memorial Committee will report on progress made in this patriotic project.

Respectfully submitted,

A. HOWARD CLARK,
Secretary General.

(At the mention of General Buckner's name in the report, where he was referred to as the Governor of Kentucky at the time the National Society met in Louisville twenty-one years ago, the President General said: "Compatriots, arise, and let us give three cheers for Gen. Simon Bolivar Buckner!" This was done with a hearty "Hip! Hip! Hip! Hur-rah! Hur-rah!")

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: Gentlemen, you have heard the report of your Secretary General. What is your pleasure?

Mr. DEWEY, of Vermont: I move that the report be accepted and placed on file.

(This motion had several seconds.)

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: Gentlemen, you have heard the motion made by Mr. Dewey, of Vermont, properly seconded, that the report of the Secretary General be received and placed on file.

(Motion duly adopted.)

Admiral BAIRD: I move that a committee of three be appointed to draft suitable resolutions of thanks to Senator Bacon, of Georgia, and Senator Lodge, of Massachusetts, for their efforts in securing the passage by the U. S. Senate of appropriations for the erection of monuments to Thomas Jefferson and Alexander Hamilton, respectively.

(Motion seconded and carried.)

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: The next order of business will be the report of your Registrar General, which will also be presented by Mr. Clark, of Washington.

REPORT OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL.

COMPATRIOTS: Your Registrar General has the honor to report the enrollment of 924 new members during the Society year ended March 31, 1911, and a total to date of 22,536 members since April 30, 1889. The present active membership is 12,471—a net gain of 400 over the

preceding year. The accession of new members was somewhat less than during the years 1909 and 1910, though about 60 above the annual average since 1901. Massachusetts continues to rank first in numbers, 1,635, followed by the Empire State, 1,368; Connecticut, 1,103; Illinois, 626; Pennsylvania, 603, and New Jersey, 581. The greatest number of new members this year comes from New York, 103; Illinois is second with 89, Massachusetts third with 80. Only three Societies have failed to add to their roll.

One year ago today, at the Toledo Congress, a cordial invitation was extended to the National Society to hold the Congress of 1911 at Louisville. The enthusiastic representatives of the Kentucky Society said, "Come to Louisville. It will do you good; it will do us good. It will make you better patriots to meet with Kentuckians in a State where only one-fortieth of the population is foreign born." We are here. We are aroused. Kentuckians are aroused. The Registrar General takes pleasure in announcing that the Kentucky Society has increased its membership more than 25 per cent during the year. It has outstripped all other Societies in percentage of growth. It has won the Traveling Banner. We are proud of Kentucky, and of our entire organization.

STATISTICS OF STATE SOCIETIES, SHOWING NUMBER OF NEW MEMBERS ENROLLED FROM APRIL 1, 1910, TO MARCH 31, 1911, AND NUMBER OF MEMBERS ON THE ROLLS MARCH 31, 1911.

	New Members.	Active Members
Alabama	0	30
Arizona	3	51
Arkansas	1	29
California	27	431
Colorado	30	257
Connecticut	48	1,103
Delaware	0	45
District of Columbia	21	490
Empire State	103	1,368
Florida	4	35
France	0	15
Hawaii	3	101
Idaho	7	32
Illinois	89	626
Indiana	18	225
Iowa	32	292
Kansas	5	65
Kentucky	36	125
Louisiana	4	76
Maine	22	375
Maryland	15	269
Massachusetts	80	1,635
Michigan	25	379
Minnesota	16	533
Mississippi	7	25
Missouri	3	104
Montana	1	29
Nebraska	6	122

	New Members.	Active Members
Nevada	4	22
New Hampshire	13	288
New Jersey	47	581
New Mexico	6	46
North Carolina	31	31
North Dakota	18	23
Ohio	55	523
Oklahoma	6	43
Oregon	14	111
Pennsylvania	40	603
Philippines	6	15
Rhode Island	10	321
South Carolina	15	18
South Dakota	12	16
Tennessee	1	35
Texas	3	74
Utah	7	72
Vermont	6	277
Virginia	8	76
Washington	10	206
Wisconsin	4	191
Wyoming	2	32
	924	12,471

The new Societies in North Carolina, South Carolina, North Dakota, South Dakota, and in the Philippines have given us 78 new members.

Two hundred and twenty-five deaths have been reported, some of them men of eminence, all of them earnest patriots. Several actual sons of soldiers of the Revolution have passed away. One of these, Elijah Clark Sears, a relative of your Registrar General, lived to the great age of 105 years and 5 months. Among the deceased should be mentioned Theodore H. Eaton, of Detroit, a constant attendant at the Annual Congress and member of the National Executive Committee; Judge George H. Williams, Attorney General of the United States, U. S. Senator from 1866 to 1872, and for many years President of the Oregon Society; Brig. Gen. Edgar S. Dudley, William Thomas Wardwell, Maj. Edmund Kirby Webster, Rear Admiral Francis W. Dickins, Judge Francis Marion Crosby, Rear Admiral Bowman Hendry McCalla, Col. Oskaloosa M. Smith, Brig. Gen. James Biddle, Judge E. M. P. Brister, and Hon. Robert Treat Paine.

The Registrar General has issued the average number of certificates of membership, 625 in all. Under Art. XIV of the By-Laws, every member of the Society is entitled to a certificate; but as the cost of engraving and engrossing them is necessarily a charge against the State Societies, only about two-thirds of the new members receive them.

Through the generosity of a compatriot a full-sized gold insignia has been provided for the past three years, to be awarded to the State enrolling the greatest proportional number of sons of present members. The intention of the donor was to stimulate greater interest in the younger generation of patriots. In 1909 an insignia was thus awarded to the Michigan Society; in 1910, to the New Jersey Society. During

the past year the enrollment of 53 sons has been reported and the Kentucky Society has added to its laurels the honor of being entitled to this prize insignia. It was proposed by the giver of the badge that the State receiving it should present it to one of the sons of members thus enrolled.

The Registrar General has been accustomed each year to call attention to the progress made in the publication of records of the Revolution, particularly the names of those who served in the army and navy in that war. Much has been done in gathering valuable material and much has been saved from destruction. Actual publication, however, is far from complete in several of the States. Rhode Island and New Jersey have the material in hand for an excellent showing of what their soldiers did in the Revolution, but it still awaits publication. Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, and Georgia have found themselves possessors of important documents and lists of soldiers that were thought to be irretrievably lost. All this priceless historical data should be promptly put in print and the information thus permanently preserved, before other calamities such as the Albany Capitol fire shall obliterate the material forever. And the Federal government as well as the States should do its share of publication. This Society has accomplished great good in securing the enactment of laws for the gathering and indexing of army and navy rolls, and the Committee on Muster and Pension Rolls is active in furthering the compilation of data contained in the claim papers of the 60,000 pensioners of the Revolution.

Your Registrar General recommends that this Congress authorize the Executive Committee to have prepared at the expense of the Society (if after the committee's consideration it is deemed practicable and advisable) an alphabetical card index of the pensioners of the Revolution, to be compiled from the rolls published by the government in 1835. The printed rolls are compiled by States and counties, without indexes, in such a manner as to be almost unavailable for reference, and it may seem to the committee that an office reference card index of these 60,000 names would be of great value for prompt verification of papers of applicants and as a source of information for those desiring membership.

In here presenting his nineteenth annual report your Registrar General again thanks the officers of State Societies and members for their uniform courtesy and patience in aiding him to preserve the unimpeachable character of the records of this Society.

Respectfully submitted,

A. Howard Clark,
Registrar General.

(The reference in the report to the Kentucky Society having added to its laurels the honor of being entitled to the Traveling Banner and the prize insignia this year was greeted with hearty applause.)

The President General: Compatriots, you have heard the report of your Registrar General. What is your pleasure?

(Moved and seconded that the report be received and placed on file. Carried.)

AWARD OF PRIZE INSIGNIA TO KENTUCKY SOCIETY.

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: While we are waiting for the Traveling Banner to be unboxed, we will proceed with the presentation of the prize badge, and I will call on the Rev. Dr. Stone, our Chaplain General, to present it to the Kentucky Society. (Applause.)

Dr. STONE: In presenting this badge—which is a recognition of the appreciation by the National Society of the State which has brought the largest number of sons of present members into the National Society during the year—I wish to say that we live today in a time when the great strength of any movement is recognized to be not simply in its reflective power, but in its originating power; that it is not simply a matter of doing today over again what our fathers did yesterday, but it is the power of doing ourselves, and doing for others; and there is no greater opportunity or force in our Society than that of inspiring our sons with the purposes and aims that have inspired us. Therefore we congratulate your Society, sir, upon this splendid honor which you have brought to yourselves in bringing so many of your own young men into the front rank of the national work of our Society, and I take great pleasure in presenting this badge to your Society. (Applause.)

Chaplain CRAIK, of Kentucky: Mr. President General and Dr. Stone, I suppose it has been as much of a surprise to you to be called on to present this badge as it is to me to receive it; but, although unexpected, it is certainly not unappreciated, and it gives me great pleasure, on behalf of our local organization, to accept this badge, which is certainly a badge of honor. I suppose there is no member of the Society of the Sons of the American Revolution who does not believe in the value of pedigree. If it were not for pedigree this organization would not exist. We have it upon the highest authority that the sins of the fathers are visited upon the children; so, also, we can claim that the virtues of our ancestors descend from generation to generation. (Applause.) And it is in recognition of that fact, therefore, that Kentucky can claim the meed of honor and appreciation of that great truth; and I am glad to be able, in her name and that of her Society, to accept this badge in recognition of it. It is only because my own eldest son achieved his majority on last Saturday, instead of some time earlier during the year, that he is not now enrolled among this band of patriots. (Applause.)

AWARD OF TRAVELING BANNER TO KENTUCKY SOCIETY.

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: Gentlemen, arise. I will now ask Compatriot Wardner Williams, ex-President of the Colorado Society, which gave the banner to the National Society, to present that flag to the Kentucky Society.

(The flag is here brought forward.)

Mr. Williams began by relating the story of the young son of a member of the Supreme Court of his State, who came home from school for the holidays, and while there became deeply enamored of a young miss of fifteen who lived next door. When he was about to return to his studies his father urged him to write as soon as he arrived, and let his parents know if he had reached his destination in safety. The boy demurred at this on the score that he would arrive there Thursday, and he always wrote on Sunday, anyway. The father insisted, however, and agreed to compromise on a postal card instead of a letter. The boy relented, and his father received this message: "I got here all right; but, father, it is awfully lonesome down here. If you see any of the neighbors, tell *her* to write." (Applause.) This, said Mr. Williams, was the boy's awakening. Mr. Williams then continued:

Mr. WILLIAMS: To me the Stars and Stripes are the symbol of the awakening of the American people. Those of us who have stood in foreign ports and seen the Stars and Stripes floating at the masthead of one of our battleships know the thrill it sends to the American heart to view that flag, the insignia of liberty, floating over the seas. It is said that the ropes of the British Navy are intertwined by a red thread, and that no matter where you find a piece of cordage of the British Navy—it may be on some deserted island; it may have floated from some ship in time of dire distress—there you will find intertwined the red thread of the British Navy, and you know by that thread that a ship of England has passed that way. I have often thought of the impression upon an heir to the throne when his father first says to him, "My son, you are the son of royalty." That is royalty's awakening. And so if we say to our own sons, "Boys, you are the sons of American Revolutionary sires. You are the red thread that runs through the entire history of the American people, and it is to you, more than to any other class of citizens that live under the folds of the Stars and Stripes, that America is looking for great things." I have tried to impress upon the membership of my own State Society that we must not keep our eyes riveted on the past; for, as desirable and as necessary as it is to commemorate the events of American history, there are great events before us today and in the future. (Applause.) It will take all the strength and all the courage, and all the heroism and the patriotism of the rank and file of American citizenship to meet these obligations, just as it required all the strength and all the courage of our forefathers to meet the obligations that confronted them a hundred years ago. If we are worthy sons of our ancestors, the founders of this Republic, we will be as ready to don the habiliments of war in our time as they were in theirs. When our compatriot, Admiral Dewey, ran with the sun into Manila Bay on that bright May morning and passed the word down the line of his ships, "Clear the deck for action," and under his guns the Spanish vessels, one by one, were sunk or beached; and when Gen. Irving Hale, a member of my own Society, ordered the Spanish flag which floated

over the castle in Manila Bay lowered and the Stars and Stripes run up—from that moment America became a world power! (Applause.) Compatriots, we have tremendous questions to meet—questions of grave responsibility and far-reaching influence. First of all, we have the principles of honesty, uprightness, and justice in this land to maintain. We have the question of whether our own merchant marine shall carry our goods to the markets of the world. We have the question of obtaining our rightful proportion of the trade of Central and South America. We have the question of the firm maintenance of the Monroe Doctrine on this continent. We have many other great and important problems to deal with. They are real questions, great questions, and they will require our patriotism and all our strength to see that they are properly solved. Compatriots, at a time like this it behooves us to stand shoulder to shoulder more than any other class of citizens. As our forefathers laid down their lives for the founding of this country, so we must lay down ours, if necessary, for its maintenance. We have here the colors of the Society of the American Revolution, and it would seem eminently appropriate that these colors be intertwined with the Stars and Stripes that have just been presented by the Kentucky Society, and I trust they shall never be separated; that wherever the Stars and Stripes shall stream, the same spirit of heroism and patriotism shall be inspired by the colors of the Sons of the American Revolution! (Applause.) It affords me the greatest pleasure, Mr. President, to present this Traveling Banner, designed by the Colorado Society, to your splendid Kentucky Society, and as it goes from State to State we trust it may carry with it the inspiration of justice, patriotism, and liberty. (Great applause.)

Mr. DANFORTH: Mr. President General and delegates, I want to say that the surprises are beginning to come our way, and that we deeply appreciate them you need not be told. I feel sorry for New Jersey; but, at the same time, sir, she has got to get up and hump herself if she wants to get this flag back. (Laughter and applause.) The last speaker said something about entwining this banner with the Stars and Stripes, and he looked over at this banner here that we have presented to the National Society, and I said to myself then, "Not if we know it!" (Laughter.) We shall try to keep this banner.

(Apropos of the situation in which the Kentucky Society found itself, Mr. Danforth told, much to the delectation of his audience, the story of "Uncle Ephraim," an old Henry County, Kentucky, darky, who occasionally took aboard too much "happiness." On the occasion in question Uncle Ephraim, after having imbibed pretty freely, had to run the gauntlet of a graveyard on his way to his little cabin home, and there his imagination conjured up the "ghost" he was expecting, and he took precipitate flight, almost running his heart out, finally dropping down by a log on the roadside from sheer exhaustion, where, just as he was beginning to revive, his "ghost" sat down beside him and said, "We have had quite a race, haven't we?" Uncle Ephraim found the breath to reply, "Yes, and we'se gwine to have another right now.") (Great laughter and applause.)

Continuing, Mr. Danforth said:

"And so I say we are going to have another race. (Applause.) And we hope to hold the banner, too; but if any other State wins it, we will turn it over with as much grace as it has been turned over to us." (Applause.)

Mr. Howe, of New Jersey: I wish to state, Mr. President General, that New Jersey is not afraid of "ghosts." (Laughter.) I want to say, too, that it gives us great pleasure to pass this banner over to Kentucky. In New Jersey we have an enormous number of foreign-born population. Only a small part of our citizenship is eligible to membership in the Sons of the American Revolution. It has been a great pleasure to us to hear that only one-fortieth of the population of Kentucky is foreign born, and we will admit that you have good stock. But we are in the race! (Applause and laughter.)

The President General: We will now listen to the report of the Historian General, who will please come to the platform.

(Historian General Pierson, of New Jersey, submitted his report as follows, reading extracts to the Congress:)

REPORT OF HISTORIAN GENERAL.

Mr. President General and Compatriots of the Sons of the American Revolution: Patriotism is the keynote—the countersign, as it were—of our Society, and we are only loyal to the institution so gloriously builded upon the strong and sure foundation laid by the organizers when we keep that lambent flame ever to the fore as a beacon for all mankind.

It is not a difficult matter to exhibit one's love of country in such a Commonwealth as that in which we are meeting today. Famous the world over for its fair women, its gallant men, its beautiful scenery, its courageous pioneers who pushed through the wilderness (men of the character of Colonel Shelby, the first Governor of Kentucky and the hero of the Battle of Kings Mountain; George Rogers Clark, and Daniel Boone), the birthplace of Abraham Lincoln and of Henry Clay, its fertile soil, and many other features, it is no wonder that the world-wide and popular verses, set to strains of sweet and beautiful music, grow richer with the passing of the years—"My Old Kentucky Home." And there has been no mistaking the welcome that has been accorded us in this most hospitable city; so we are naturally placed in an environment for the consideration of patriotic and higher thoughts of life.

Few words are more misunderstood in our country than patriotism. It can be said with all frankness that we have a duty to perform in seeing that those lukewarm citizens, too often found in high places, who are negligent of their responsibilities, are brought into a clearer vision of their duties to the state and nation. We have a danger from foes within more than we have from foes without, it seems.

Our Society of the Sons of the American Revolution has steadily gone forward in its great patriotic work, a glance over the pages of our history revealing a noble, consistent band of patriots, who from the beginning wrought most delicately, yet firmly, this great fabric, into which has since been knit the lives of many compatriots of distinguished ancestry, and, in not a few instances, illustrious sons who have achieved fame in one or more of the many avenues of useful endeavor for human-kind. We should rejoice today in the firm foothold that the Society has in this country.

During the year the Societies have been active in one form or another contributing to the general welfare of the national organization. The future is looming up bright with prophetic assurances of increased usefulness by the Sons all over this broad land.

Through the persistent efforts of President General William Allen Marble, assisted by a number of other compatriots, the remains of Admiral John Paul Jones will now have a suitable resting-place. Too much credit cannot be given our President General for his efforts in behalf of this beneficent enterprise, and it is one of the achievements of his administration of which he may well feel proud. Too often the patriotic work ends when the bands cease playing, and this particular effort should be remembered with gratitude by the people of the United States.

Another event of great national importance was the recognition of the heroic service given this country by that sterling Prussian patriot, Baron Frederick Wilhelm von Steuben, the drill-master of the War of the Revolution, through the dedication of the magnificent statue in bronze at the northwest corner of Lafayette Square, in Washington, in the presence of President William Howard Taft, Count von Bernstorff, Ambassador to this country from Germany, and many other diplomats, under conditions that would have been trying otherwise. That day, Wednesday, December 7, 1910, will be marked in history as one of the most eventful of all the great pageants held at the capital of our country.

A lofty spirit of patriotism permeated the atmosphere despite the inclemency of the weather almost up to the hour of the unveiling, and indifferent would be the individual to the nobler attributes of manhood if he beheld that wonderful scene without emotion. Tardy though the recognition, the statue does prove appreciation of work well done, and it would be a difficult matter to single out any of the tributes which were more impressive—the one offered by President Taft, in his dignified oration, and the others who followed him; the rendering of "The Star-Spangled Banner" by an assembled chorus of 1,000 voices of the Northeastern Sængerbund; or the procession, made up largely of those of Teutonic birth, which passed in review before the distinguished guests assembled on the grandstand. It was all of an intensely inspirational character and gave a touch of sentiment that was most impressive and far-reaching in its lesson.

It must be remembered that this great demonstration took place following a storm which for severity nearly rivaled the one made famous of March 4, 1909; yet it was estimated that 80,000 visitors counted it not a hardship to stand in the frosty air in the snow-covered streets while the ceremonies were in progress.

All the general officers of the National Society were invited to the dedication, and your Historian counted it a rare privilege to be among those present. We were also honored by having the ushers all detailed from the District of Columbia Society. Our National Society, at its Annual Congress in Independence Hall in 1905, called the attention of the United States Congress to the appropriate character of this memorial and urged its prompt completion.

During the year it was my privilege to correspond with many of the officers of the State Societies, with the object of bringing something before this Congress in a tangible form which would serve as a help, as a guide, in the furtherance of the objects and aims which are so dear to our hearts. The results you have seen, or will see. No effort has been made to encourage competition, nor is any comparison invited except that which will give ideas for increasing the activities of the compatriots. It is merely meant as an opportunity to view the work done in various parts of the country, and to give ideas for further work, if possible. Thirty-three Societies are represented in the collec-

tion, and others would no doubt have been had there been time enough. It is hoped that the plan, if it meets with the approval of the compatriots, will become a fixed part of the Annual Congress.

History, as far as possible, should be written as it occurs; the coloring, if needed, can come later. While the duties of the Historian may be increased by this means, it is nevertheless hoped that he will hereafter be placed on the mailing list of every State Society, so that he will be the better enabled to prepare his report in a more leisurely manner. It is also recommended that on April 1—not later—each Society shall send to the Historian a written statement of the year's work, so that he can present them to the National Congress in future.

It would appear from the reports received this year that the day most generally observed throughout the country is the natal day of the immortal Washington. Truly the spirit of patriotism was rife on the twenty-second of February last, from Maine to California, and in nearly every State in the Union.

At the Washington Headquarters, Morristown, on this day, the exercises were of a most dignified character, and while not held directly under the auspices of any of the State Societies, many of the compatriots of New Jersey attended. Dr. Edwin A. Alderman, president of the University of Virginia, was the orator, and his message was most heartily received. This is an annual custom of the Washington Association, which has been organized for the purpose of retaining the building identically as it existed when Washington made his headquarters there in the winter of 1779-1780. It is well worth a visit from any of the compatriots who are in the vicinity of New York, and can be reached within an hour's travel. It may not be out of order to state that Morristown Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, has taken up the project of marking Washington's route on his way from Princeton to find a camping place for the winter of 1776-1777 at Morristown.

Several of the compatriots of the Empire State Society have taken up the proposition of making a historical park at the battlefield of Saratoga. The only battleground of the Revolutionary struggle that has been so set aside, I believe, is the one at Guilford Battleground, near Greensboro, N. C., and it is to Mrs. Joseph M. Morehead, widow of the gentleman who was at the head of the movement, that we are indebted for the exhibit which you will note from that State, so lately joining our ranks.

At the battleground of Springfield, in New Jersey, which has, for some reason unknown, been given an unimportant place in the annals of the Revolutionary War, a further tribute to the memory of the patriots of that trying engagement of a century and a third ago was given on June 23, 1910, the anniversary of the battle, by the dedication of a liberty pole, from which the Stars and Stripes will now be displayed on many of the anniversaries of battles and patriotic holidays.

The Connecticut Society dedicated an imposing statue of a Minute Man at Compo Beach on June 17, 1910, in memory of the engagement on Compo Hill, April 25, 1777, and on Columbus Day, October 12, the Massachusetts Society assisted in the unveiling of memorial tablets at Bell Rock Memorial Park, and on Washington's Birthday placed a bronze tablet commemorative of the services in the Revolutionary War of Maj. Gen. Henry Knox, at the site of his birthplace in Boston. Our compatriots in Maryland are preparing to dedicate this month a handsome memorial to William Paca, Signer of the Declaration of Independence, the design being a broad scroll upon a granite block. The legislature of New Hampshire has under consideration a bill appropriating a sum for a statue of Gen. John Sullivan. And there comes from the East—from the Massachusetts Society and the other Societies—a great wave of patriotism, as we hear of these celebrations of Patriots' Day, April 19.

One of the mediums through which we could greatly increase the interest in our Society would be a more general advocacy of the erection of liberty poles. True, our educational forces have accomplished a great deal in the way of real practical results, and even larger returns are expected in the future; but the outside world would become better acquainted, perhaps, if we paid more attention to the display of the colors. In the days of the strife which gave us this glorious government, liberty poles were placed everywhere—on the village green, on home, school, church, factory, and other places of vantage. Is it not a most appropriate way to impress upon the newly arrived immigrant the fact that the Flag stands for something more than a brilliant display; that there is a principle back of it? By a liberal participation in this practice by our people he will be taught that we have an abiding faith in our government.

Independence Day is not so generally observed as it was in the early days of the Republic. In several of the States there were safe and sane celebrations, with parades, orations, etc. This is the day that gave us the charter of our liberties, and it may not be among the impossibilities in the near future to chronicle the fact that a general, dignified observance is noted throughout the country by the Society of the Sons of the American Revolution.

The ever-mooted question of how to increase our membership is always with us. The suggestion is made that, as a trial, neighboring Societies invite compatriots to exchange in addressing public meetings or private gatherings on the work that is being done by the Society, and to emphasize the fact that it is purely American in spirit. We ought to have at least 50,000 members enrolled within our ranks, and may the day speedily come when the roster will show this number in active membership.

Publicity is positively needed if we are to progress numerically, and in no way can those who are without be shown its advantages better than in meetings where its objects are thoroughly exploited.

Can we justify our existence more sincerely than by placing memorials at the scenes of historical importance; in remembering the lives of the great men, and of the events in connection with the development of our country? The value of statuary in perpetuating history cannot be overestimated. Probably no one society in the world offers such an excellent opportunity to erect monuments as does the Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, and you have shown your appreciation of this fact by erecting innumerable memorials in many of the battlefields and places having connection with the war and other periods of our national history.

In the past ages we have found our reliable source of history in the monuments in marble and bronze left to us by the thoughtful men of other times. In fact, in Egypt, where intellectuality reached a high plane, a great man frequently prepared in advance of his death for his monument that was to survive him for the centuries that were to follow.

Bronze statues in public places and marble statues in the government buildings record in the best manner, it seems, the face and appearance of those of our national life who have worked for the upbuilding of this great nation. Our Society should see to it that not one opportunity be lost to commemorate in fitting sculpture the worthy deeds of those who have lived and given of themselves freely for the good of the whole country.

We should encourage the people to become familiar with our national songs, particularly "America" and the "Star-Spangled Banner."

We should take up the question of providing historical parks on the battlegrounds of the Revolution wherever it is possible.

We should encourage a more general observance of at least three of

our great days, namely, Washington's Birthday, Flag Day, and Independence Day, at least by a general display of the colors.

We should consider the plan of giving assistance to the numerically smaller Societies in every way that is compatible with the best interests of the national organization.

We should encourage the reading of American history, not only by our own members, but by all who can be reached by the compatriots.

Would it not be a good plan to have the colors of our National Society follow the President General on the same general plan that they do the President of the United States? A custodian could be secured in the city where the President General has his residence and a color-bearer designated.

The suggestion that there be selected from among our members an organizer—one who would not only be in thorough touch and sympathy with the Society, but also possess enthusiasm that would enlist others to become members, as he went from State to State, attending meetings arranged under the auspices of the various Societies—is also made.

Perhaps it is a little too early to even suggest that we have a legislative committee, which could examine the more important bills presented to the National Congress at Washington. With several watchful compatriots looking over the measures, pernicious legislation or that which would retard a healthy growth of our country might be in some measure restricted or weeded out entirely.

While we are remembering Valley Forge, would it not be quite in line with the purposes of our Society to place a memorial of some character at the headquarters of Washington in Morristown in the winter of 1779-1780? Our Society is not represented as an organization in the splendid work that has been done in preserving that mansion, where Washington and his generals met so frequently in councils of war.

Recapitulation.

Some of the activities of our Societies are herewith given in abbreviated form according to the information which has reached the Historian:

Arizona.—Fifteenth annual business meeting and banquet on Washington's Birthday.

Arkansas.—Annual meeting and banquet on Washington's Birthday; resolution adopted protesting against sale of old State House at Little Rock.

California.—Banquet in commemoration of last engagement of Revolutionary War, at Combakee Creek, South Carolina, on August 27, 1782; President Perkins holds meeting at Petaluma on Washington's Birthday for organization of Chapter.

Colorado.—Compatriots took part in Independence Day safe and sane celebration in Denver; annual meeting and banquet on Washington's Birthday; services in memory of deceased compatriots at Grace Methodist Episcopal Church, Denver, on February 19.

Connecticut.—Annual business meeting, May 10, at Hartford; dedicated statue of Minute Man at Compo Beach, Westport, June 17, 1910; twenty-second annual dinner, at Hartford, on Washington's Birthday; General Silliman Chapter decorated graves of Revolutionary soldiers at the cemeteries at Bridgeport, exercises being held afterwards in memory of Battle of Bunker Hill; General David Humphreys Chapter, of New Haven, decorated 187 Revolutionary soldiers' graves on Memorial Day, June 19, at New Haven.

District of Columbia.—Spring outing, held at Annapolis, May 21; entertained President General Marble, January 19; annual meeting at noon on Washington's Birthday.

Empire State Society.—Twenty-first annual banquet, at New York, November 19; Broadway Grammar School, Newburg, N. Y., presented with bust of Washington on December 12, 1910, and Lenox Avenue Collegiate Reformed Church, New York, with portrait of Washington; annual church service, at Calvary Methodist Episcopal Church, New York, February 19, 1911.

Florida.—Grave of widow of George Walton, a Signer of Declaration of Independence from Georgia, in St. Michael's Cemetery, restored and is kept in order.

Hawaiian Society.—Annual meeting at Honolulu, June 20, 1910.

Idaho.—Forefathers' Day, anniversary of the landing of the Pilgrims, observed at Boise, December 21.

Illinois.—Participated in Chicago safe and sane celebration of Independence Day, and observed Yorktown Day, October 19, 1910, with President General Marble as guest; annual meeting December 3, anniversary of admission of State into Union; Washington's Birthday observed with annual banquet.

Indiana.—Annual banquet, at Indianapolis, February 25, to commemorate capture of Fort Sackville, Vincennes, by Gen. George Rogers Clark, President General Marble guest of honor; Society is planning to celebrate 100th anniversary of Battle of Fort Harrison on September 3 and 4, 1912.

Iowa.—Society bestows fifteen medals on students for best work in study of history; Woodbury Chapter, at Sioux Falls, on February 21, and Ben Franklin Chapter, on February 22, at Des Moines, observe Washington's Birthday with banquet.

Kansas.—Presents $5 gold piece to Miss Dorothy Wood, of Bethany College, for best essay on cause of American Revolution, June 6; July 4, Independence Day, celebrated; annual business meeting, January 21, and Washington's Birthday, celebrated at Topeka.

Kentucky.—Delegates on behalf of Society extend invitation, on May 3, 1910, to National Congress to hold annual meeting at Louisville, later accepted by Board of Trustees; patriotic meeting held at Pewee Valley, near Louisville, in commemoration of Independence Day; twenty-second anniversary observed on Yorktown Day, October 19, 1910, at Louisville; arrangements being made to mark Revolutionary graves.

Louisiana.—All Saints' Day observed on November 1 by decoration of graves of soldiers of the Revolution; annual meeting held on December 10, 1910; annual banquet and reunion on Washington's Birthday.

Maine.—Will aid in erection of memorial to Penobscot Indians; twentieth annual business and banquet, at Riverton, on Washington's Birthday.

Maryland.—Suggests that all vessels entering and leaving harbor of Baltimore play "Star-Spangled Banner"; annual meeting on Yorktown Day, October 19; Washington's Birthday observed at Baltimore; monument to William Paca, Signer of the Declaration of Independence, to be unveiled at "Old Wye" on May 13, 1911.

Massachusetts.—Annual field day, at Malden, Columbus Day, October 12, 1910, unveiled tablets at Bell Rock Park; Washington's Birthday observed; placed tablet in memory of Gen. Henry Knox at birthplace in Boston; announced that monument at Valley Forge in memory of Massachusetts soldiers will be ready for dedication June 19, Bunker Hill day; Patriots' Day observed with annual business meeting, followed by banquet, on April 19, 1911. Boston Chapter observed Evacuation Day, March 17, 1911; Old Suffolk Chapter observed 135th anniversary of Battle of Chelsea, May 26, 1910. Old Essex Chapter has distinction of being one of the largest Chapters in the country, with 177 members.

Michigan.—Evacuation Day observed November 25, 1910, at Detroit; historical meeting at Detroit January 27; annual banquet celebrated Washington's birthday, at Detroit, with President General Marble as guest of honor.

Minnesota.—Annual meeting on January 11.

Missouri.—Annual meeting held March 4; banquet held on October 19, anniversary of Yorktown.

Montana.—Seventeenth annual meeting, at Helena, on Washington's Birthday, with banquet afterward.

Nevada.—Shows healthy activity since first banquet, February 19, 1910.

New Hampshire.—Annual meeting at Concord, July 12; pushing plans for General Sullivan memorial.

New Jersey.—Exercises at Springfield battleground on 130th anniversary, June 23, 1910. Liberty pole dedicated; banquet afterward; President General Marble guest of honor. Orange and Montclair Chapters took part in safe and sane Independence Day celebrations; President General Marble guest of Montclair Chapter November 18; annual meeting of Society on January 3, anniversary of Battle of Princeton (January 3, 1777), President General guest of honor; annual banquet in Newark, February 25, in honor of Washington's Birthday; Orange Chapter holds annual service in memory of Lexington and Concord, Sunday, April 23.

New Mexico.—Annual meeting held at Albuquerque on Washington's Birthday, with banquet afterward.

North Carolina.—Organized on Washington's Birthday at Washington, N. C.

Ohio.—Memories of delightful visit linger with the compatriots of the Congress of 1910, held in city of Toledo; Society there is marking many graves of Revolutionary soldiers.

Oregon.—Observed Battle of Germantown, October 5, 1910: also Brandywine and Valley Forge, on same date in 1910, at Portland; annual meeting and banquet on Washington's Birthday; offers $100 in prizes to pupils of public schools of Oregon for essays on subjects connected with War for Independence.

Pennsylvania.—Takes active measure to prevent desecration of Flag; annual meeting and banquet on Washington's Birthday, at Pittsburg; handsome souvenir, "Our Presidents," giving a portrait of each occupant of the White House, is given compatriots; Philadelphia Chapter annually gives prizes to school children for historical essays; also observes Independence Day.

Rhode Island.—Observes Memorial Day, May 30, at Providence; annual business meeting and banquet on Washington's Birthday, at Providence; Society attends patriotic meeting at Brown University in afternoon; Kent County Chapter observed Rhode Island Independence Day, at East Greenwich, May 4, 1910.

South Carolina.—Organization effected March 22.

South Dakota.—Organized at Sioux Falls, January 31.

Texas.—Annual meeting and banquet on Washington's Birthday, at Houston; decides to hold annual meeting hereafter at different cities, so as to arouse interest.

Utah.—Annual meeting on Washington's Birthday.

Vermont.—Annual meeting on November 10, with President General Marble as guest of honor.

Virginia.—Annual meeting postponed from Washington's Birthday to March 24, on account of illness of Dr. Brock, Secretary; renewed interest shown and Society decides to publish year book.

Washington.—Annual meeting and banquet on Washington's Birthday.

Wyoming.—Annual meeting held on Washington's Birthday.

We have done well in the past. Now let us look to the future, keeping ever clear before our vision the examples of devotion to country of our fathers, so that it might be said of us that we at least performed our work to the best of our ability. Opportunity is before us and the past is urging us on.

"Eternal vigilance is the price of liberty."

Respectfully submitted,

DAVID L. PIERSON,
Historian General.

(Moved and seconded that the report of the Historian General be received and accepted and printed in full in the Year Book, and motion carried.)

The President General announced the following members of the District of Columbia Society as the Committee on Resolutions of Thanks to Senator Bacon, of Georgia, and Senator Lodge, of Massachusetts, for their efforts in securing appropriations by the U. S. Senate for the erection of monuments in Washington City to Thomas Jefferson and Alexander Hamilton, respectively: Admiral George W. Baird, Colonel William B. Thompson, William A. De Caindry, Philip F. Larner.

The President General also announced the following as the Committee on Resolution of Thanks to Congressman Loud, of Michigan, for his successful efforts in securing an appropriation to provide a suitable resting place for the remains of John Paul Jones: Hon. Cornelius A. Pugsley, of New York; John H. Burroughs, of New York; George D. Bangs, of New York; Admiral George W. Baird, U. S. N., of Washington, D. C.

(On motion, at 12.10 p. m., the Congress took a recess to 2.30 p. m.)

Afternoon Session, May 1, 1911—2.45 p. m.

The Congress was called to order by President General Marble.

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: Compatriots, the Historian General wishes to be heard briefly, and his request will doubtless be granted.

HISTORIAN GENERAL PIERSON: I want to show the delegates here a picture of William Richardson Davie, a former Governor of North Carolina, at one time a resident of Louisville, and a colonel in the Revolutionary War. This picture and the frame were made in 1800, 111 years ago. The people here in Louisville are very proud of it.

(Mr. Pierson held the picture of Governor Davie up before the members, so all could have a good view of it.)

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: Before taking up the regular order of business, it is my pleasure to recognize ex-President General Hancock, of Pennsylvania.

Judge HANCOCK: Mr. President General, it has been our experience in Pennsylvania that some men will obtain their certificates of membership and then drop out of the Society for non-payment of dues. We have lost considerable membership in our State in that way, and I suppose other State Societies have suffered in like manner. Now, I have

two resolutions here aimed at the correction of this abuse, and I will read the first one:

Resolved, That a clause be inserted in the application for membership and incorporated in the certificate granted thereon, by which, when the recipient of the certificate shall fail to pay his annual dues for membership, he shall surrender his certificate, unless his membership shall cease by reason of death or actual disability.

The second resolution I have to offer reads:

Resolved, That this subject be referred to a committee of three, of which the Registrar General shall be one, to report thereon to this Congress.

The purpose is to get this measure through as quickly as possible to remedy this trouble.

Colonel GUTHRIE: Acting under the instructions of the Pennsylvania Society, I desire to second these resolutions. We want to advocate this measure with all the power we can bring to bear.

Mr. BACON, of New York, also seconded the resolution.

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: I would like to ask Judge Hancock if it is his judgment that a resolution of this kind can be properly passed by this Congress.

Judge HANCOCK: I think so; that is the reason I wanted a second to the resolution.

The SECRETARY GENERAL: It is not an amendment to the Constitution or the By-Laws. It is simply a regulation, and the Board of Trustees has control of that. The matter could be left in their hands.

Judge HANCOCK: I would rather have it adopted at once. This Congress is greater than the Board of Trustees.

Mr. HYDE: I think that is a good resolution, but I think when a man pays for his certificate, if, for some unknown reason he drops out, it could hardly be required of him that he return his certificate; it has been paid for, and I do not believe we could enforce such a rule.

(By request, the Secretary General reread the resolutions, and there were calls of "Question!")

A MEMBER: I would like to inquire whether the Constitution and By-Laws of this Society provide for the qualifications necessary for membership, and the rights of membership touching this point.

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: This is a question of legality, and I think that it can all be left with the committee, of which Judge Hancock will be the chairman, and the committee can report upon that later.

The SECRETARY GENERAL: Section 2 of Article III of the Constitution says: "Applications for membership shall be made to any State Society, in duplicate, upon blank forms prescribed by the Board of Trustees."

(The resolutions presented by Judge Hancock and duly seconded were then put to a vote and carried.)

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: I will appoint on the committee provided for in the second resolution just adopted ex-President General James Denton Hancock, of Pennsylvania; Registrar General A. Howard

Clark, of Washington City, and ex-President General Cornelius A. Pugsley, of New York.

The next regular standing committee we shall call upon to make a report is that of the Committee on Auditing and Finance, Mr. William A. De Caindry, of Washington City, Chairman.

Mr. DE CAINDRY: Mr. President General, the Committee on Auditing and Finance has carefully examined the accounts of the Treasurer General for the last year, and has endorsed on the report that they find them correct. I desire in addition to say for the committee that the accounts have been very elegantly and correctly kept.

(Moved and seconded that the report of the committee be accepted, and motion carried.)

Mr. PUGSLEY: The committee wishes to express to our worthy Treasurer General the thanks of the Society for his work during the past year.

(Motion duly seconded and carried.)

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: The next report is that of the Memorial Committee, Mr. Howe, of New Jersey, Chairman.

REPORT OF MEMORIAL COMMITTEE.

Mr. HOWE: Mr. President General, we desire to supplement the report made by the Secretary General in two particulars. The first, at the meeting of the Congress a year ago, the marking of the graves of the Signers of the Declaration of Independence was called to our attention. The next matter is that of the proposed establishment of a national park at the crossing of the Delaware, just above the city of Trenton, where Washington and his little army crossed in the ice and attended the Christmas celebration in what is now the center of the city of Trenton. In regard to the first matter, that of graves of the Signers of New Jersey, one of our members, Professor Armstrong, gave an entire summer vacation to the patriotic duty of locating these graves, and he has located all the graves of the Signers, I believe, and reports that the graves of only two of the Signers are not properly marked.

The New Jersey Society took up the matter and decided it was best to refer it to the Legislature and try to secure a proper appropriation for the marking of these graves. That matter is receiving consideration and will continue to do so until these graves are properly marked.

As to the important matter of the establishment of a national park on the banks of the Delaware, to mark the site of the most spectacular battle of the whole Revolutionary War, the chairman of the New Jersey commission appointed by Governor Fort is United States Senator Briggs, whose duties have kept him in Washington and very closely occupied for some months past. We have made some progress in New Jersey, but we have no official information as to what Pennsylvania has done or will do. We hope that with the active co-operation of the State of Pennsylvania and the two State Societies we may be able to report real progress towards securing the ground on both sides of

the Delaware River—ground which lies today practically in the same condition it was in when the battle was fought. It is still possible for us to preserve to posterity this battlefield, used ever since as farming land, if we can only secure the co-operation of the two States of Pennsylvania and New Jersey and that of our Society. (Applause.)

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: Gentlemen, you have heard the report of the Memorial Committee. What is your pleasure?

(Motion made and seconded that the report be accepted and embodied in the Year Book, with the thanks of the Congress to the committee for the work that has been done. Carried.)

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: The next report will be that of the Committee on Organization, North and West, Doctor Clarkson N. Guyer, Chairman.

REPORT OF ORGANIZATION COMMITTEE (NORTH AND WEST).

Dr. GUYER: Mr. President General, before reading this report I want to give you a message sent by two compatriots who wanted to be here but could not be. One of them was Compatriot Dr. Higley, who once lived in Louisville, I believe. He desired me to give you his greetings and to say that he was sorry he could not be present at this meeting. The other was Compatriot Joseph F. Tuttle, Jr. (Applause.) He desired me to remember him to his many friends here at this meeting, but there are so many of them it would be hard to get around and see them all individually, and so I want to say now that he wishes to be remembered to all.

DENVER, COLO., April 19, 1911.

COMPATRIOTS: I have the honor to herewith submit a final report of Committee on Organization in the North and West.

As previously submitted, it organized the Wyoming State Society on March 28th, 1908, at Cheyenne, and had the great pleasure of revisiting this society on the 18th of March, 1911, and found a flourishing society of over thirty members. On December 26th, 1908, it organized the New Mexico Society at Albuquerque, a most earnest and active organization today, to build up the new State along the lines of patriotic work of our National Society. On April 8th, 1909, the Committee went to Boise, Idaho, and under most promising auspices organized the Idaho State Society, and at Reno, Nevada, a society was organized on February 19, 1910. The splendid reports of the New Mexico, Idaho, Nevada, South Dakota, and North Dakota Societies in Secretary General Clark's March Bulletin will be most gratifying to the members of the Society at large.

Your Committee, through its most efficient Secretary, Compatriot F. M. Keezer, and Joseph F. Tuttle, Jr., had a long correspondence, running through many months, with compatriots in South Dakota and North Dakota relative to rehabilitation of the old society in the former and a new organization in the latter State. It was deemed best to attempt to reorganize the old South Dakota Society, and, as far as notice could be given, word was everywhere sent, to the old members, of a meeting to be held in Sioux Falls on a certain date named. It met in Judge Well's office, Tuesday evening, January 31, 1911. The

plan of reorganization was proposed, but not one of the old society was present. Those attending were compatriots of other State Societies, resident in South Dakota, and a large number of eligibles. It was the unanimous wish of all present that an entirely new State organization be effected. This was accordingly done with fine spirit and enthusiasm, and a new charter was granted under date of January 31, 1911. Patriotic lectures in the interests of our Society were given by Mr. Tuttle in the First Presbyterian Church; also in the Sioux Falls High School, with over four hundred high school students attending, as well as in the Whittier School, which was also crowded. It was a resonant, clarion note that was struck for the Sons of the American Revolution in Sioux Falls, South Dakota.

Former Vice-President General Webster and Compatriots Flack and Richardson, of the Nebraska State Society, were most gracious in hospitalities to your Committee in passing through Omaha, and on February 2 the Minnesota State Society entertained the Committee at a lunch in Minneapolis. President Edward P. Sanborn and a large number of the Minnesota Compatriots showed the greatest enthusiasm in the Committee's work.

On the following evening the Committee arrived in Fargo, North Dakota, the place designated by Judge B. F. Spalding, of the State Supreme Court, as headquarters of the new Society in North Dakota. The Committee was most fortunate in having enlisted the interest of Judge Spalding, and at a banquet at the Gardner Hotel Saturday evening, February 4, the Society was formally organized with more than the required number of Charter Members. Judge Spalding was elected President, and as a result of his untiring work and of Compatriot F. F. Burchard, of Grand Forks (formerly of the Wyoming State Society), a list of fifty-five eligibles was presented and read at the meeting.

And so North Dakota, the last Northern Society to be organized, was brought into the fold of the Sons of the American Revolution, and the work of the Committee of Organization of North and West was completed. Following the custom in the organization in other States, a patriotic service was held in the Congregational Church of the city the next evening. The Society's Chaplain, Rev. R. A. Beard, D. D., presided, and a large audience listened to an address upon one of the heroes of the American Revolution, from Mr. Tuttle.

On the evening of April 15, 1911, it was my great pleasure as Chairman of Chapters of the Colorado Society, to organize a chapter at Fort Collins, Colorado, with eighteen members and a considerable number of eligibles almost ready with their papers. In organizing this Chapter, precisely the same methods were used as during the past three years in the organization of new State Societies, viz: Press notices in advance and a patriotic address by Mr. Tuttle, who has assisted at all of the State organizations. In Colorado we thoroughly believe in the Chapter idea, which has been followed with such marked success in many of our State Societies.

It has been necessary, in compliance with the laws of our National Society, to list the new members on the roll of some State Society. In the organization of these six new State Societies the new members have been enrolled with the Colorado State Society. This enrollment and subsequent demission afterwards to the new Society had fallen upon the Secretaries of the Colorado Society, Compatriots Stoddard and Kirby, who have most willingly and without charge performed these extra duties. I most deeply appreciate their work of love for our Society.

Yours very truly, CLARKSON N. GUYER,
Chairman, Committee on Organization, North and West.

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: You have heard the report of your Committee on Organization in the North and West. What is your pleasure?

Mr. DEWEY, of Vermont: I move that the report be accepted and that the thanks of the Society be extended to Doctor Guyer and his associates on the committee. I do this for one reason especially: He speaks of Judge Spalding in his report. Judge Spalding was an old tent-mate of mine in the Vermont Militia.

(Motion seconded by Colonel Guthrie, of Pennsylvania, and carried.)

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: Doctor Guyer, you will please receive the thanks of this Congress and extend the same to your associates on this Committee.

The next report will be that of the Committee on Organization in the South, Commander John H. Moore, of Washington City, Chairman.

In the absence of the Chairman, the report will be read by the Secretary General.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON ORGANIZATION (SOUTH).

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 26, 1911.

It is with great pleasure I have to announce the formation of two State Societies in the South during the past year.

On February 22, at Washington, North Carolina, the North Carolina State Society was organized with thirty members. This Society, through its most energetic and enthusiastic Secretary-Registrar, Mr. R. T. Bonner, of Aurora, promises to become a very active and large Society. Today its membership is largely in the eastern end of the State, but it is extending all over the State and by the time we meet again I prophesy it will have reached and passed more than one of our other Societies. It has already gathered together a very good library of works on the History and War Records of the State of North Carolina. The Society is to be congratulated upon its choice of a Secretary-Registrar. Mr. Bonner is the right man in the right place.

On March 22, a South Carolina State Society was organized at Greenville, South Carolina, with a charter membership of twenty members, mostly from the western section of the State.

This Society bids fair to reach its next door neighbor, the North Carolina Society. Having organized one month later, it is too early to say as much about it as I would like to, but I feel confident that with such a leader as Mr. P. T. Hayne, of Greenville, it will make a great showing at our next Congress. I would suggest if any member reading this report has any relations living in either of these States that he kindly communicate their names to Mr. R. T. Bonner, Aurora, North Carolina, or Mr. P. T. Hayne, Greenville, South Carolina. They will do the rest.

Respectfully,

JNO. H. MOORE,
Chairman, Committee on Organization (South).

DOCTOR GUYER: I move that the report of the Committee on Organization in the South be accepted and placed on file, and that a vote of thanks be returned to Commander Moore and his associates on that Committee for the work they have done.

(Motion seconded by Colonel Guthrie, of Pennsylvania, and carried.)

The President General: The next order of business is the report of the Committee on Education—Colonel Charles Lyman, of Washington, D. C., Chairman. In the absence of the Chairman, this report will be presented by our Compatriot Charles Dean Kimball, former Governor of Rhode Island, a member of the Committee.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION.

Compatriots: Your Committee on Education takes pleasure in reporting that during the last year there has been marked activity in two lines of patriotic and educational work, viz: public addresses at banquets and meetings of State Societies and local Chapters, and on numerous more public occasions; and the unveiling and dedication of monuments, tablets, and other memorials commemorative of historic places, events, and persons connected with the Revolutionary period. Every speech fitly made on any such occasion is good seed, and while here and there it may fall upon stony ground or barren soil and produce no fruit, will in the main fall upon good ground and bring forth an hundred-fold the fruit of patriotism and good citizenship. And as education comes by the seeing of the eye as well as by the hearing of the ear, every such tablet, monument, or other memorial in bronze or stone is a perpetual preacher of moral and patriotic righteousness, for patriotism and morality go hand in hand.

Among the noteworthy memorials erected during the last year are the following: By the Connecticut Society, at Compo Beach, Westport, a life-size bronze statue of the "Minute Man," erected to commemorate the heroism of the patriots who defended their country when the British, under General Tryon, invaded Connecticut. The Massachusetts Society, on October 12, 1910, assisted in unveiling memorial tablets at Bell Rock, Memorial Park, Malden; and on February 22, 1911, dedicated a tablet to the memory of General Knox. The Maryland Society has erected a monument at Old Wye, to the memory of William Paca, a signer of the Declaration of Independence and first Governor of Maryland. The Newburgh Chapter of the Empire State Society presented McDonald's bust of Washington to a grammar school.

This enumeration is incomplete, and these examples are mentioned in order to make record of the fact that this form of patriotic work still appeals to the members of our Society as fitting to be done. Every monument and tablet and statue is an epic in bronze or stone telling the story of holy purpose, loyal devotion, patient suffering, heroic achievement, and glorious victory.

Washington, in one or another phase of his character or career, still holds chief place as topic for addresses on patriotic occasions, and it is natural and fitting that it should be so, for Washington does, and forever will, fill the largest place and be the dominant patriotic, moral, and educational force in the ante-bellum history of our country.

Among the topics discussed at functions of our Society the following are very suggestive and indicate earnest and thoughtful patriotism:

"Our country's welfare our private concern, and he who promotes that best performs his duty."

"Lest we forget—we pursue the work of educating the men and women of tomorrow in patriotism—lest we forget."

During the last year the Iowa Society has continued the fine patriotic and educational work begun in 1907, and has awarded fifteen medals to college students and an equal number to pupils in high schools. The purpose in offering these medals is to stimulate patriotic thought in the student body in the study of United States history. Other Societies have offered and are awarding medals as prizes for best essays on

Revolutionary subjects in colleges and schools, but Iowa appears to be doing this work more systematically and extensively than any other State, and is to be commended for its good work. All our State Societies and local Chapters are urged to make that a leading feature of their patriotic and educational work, for, to our thinking, there is no more promising and fruitful educational work done by the Sons of the American Revolution than, first, this, and, next, the persistent and intelligent distribution of the two leaflets, "Information for Immigrants" and "Naturalization." Confirmation of the importance and usefulness of these leaflets was recently had in the statement made to the Chairman of this Committee by Dr. Holmes, the Director of the Bureau of Mines, that he had met with these leaflets in his work; that they were read by the immigrant miners, and were doing much good, and that he hoped their use would become more general. Such testimony from this source ought to encourage and stimulate effort for their wider and more thoughtful distribution.

It is recommended that authority be given to the Chairman of the Committee to draw on the Treasurer General of the Society, through the Secretary General, for stationery, postage, and other necessary expenses, in an amount not to exceed twenty dollars ($20.00).

Fraternally,

CHARLES LYMAN, *Chairman.*

Judge BEARDSLEY: I move that the report be accepted and placed on file, with a vote of thanks to the committee, and that the recommendation as to an appropriation for the Committee be referred to the Board of Trustees for action.

Doctor GUYER: Mr. President General, in seconding that motion I would like to state an incident that occurred in connection with our work along this line in Colorado. Compatriot Tuttle, accompanied by a minister of the Episcopal Church and myself, went down to one of the schools in that part of Denver where the foreigners lived and presented them with a flag. The school had laid aside their work, and the minister and Compatriot Tuttle made admirable addresses upon the question of why they should be Americans. A few days afterward one of the teachers in the school had a little spare time, and she thought to test the children as to the impression that had been made upon them, and she called on them to state what nationality their parents came from, and what nationality they belonged to. One said: "My mother is an Italian;" another said, "My father is an Irishman;" and so on, until she came to one bright little girl, with face all aglow, and she got up and said: "My father is an Irishman and my mother is an Italian, but I am an American!" (Applause and laughter.)

(The motion as made and seconded was put to a vote and carried.)

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: In that connection, I take great personal pride in relating an incident that occurred recently in the city of New York. Professor Thomas, whom I have the great honor to claim as a brother-in-law, who is a professor of history in one of our colleges, has written a history of the United States which is now a text-book in the State of New York, as well as in other States. A representative of the Hebrew Educational Alliance went to his publishers and asked for the privilege of republishing that history in the English and Yid-

dish languages, in parallel columns, for use among the Hebrew population on the East Side of New York. This privilege was granted by both the author and publisher, and the Hebrew Educational Alliance have now undertaken and are doing that work. (Applause) That shows that our Hebrew friends are deeply interested in the subject of American patriotism.

(The motion to accept, with a vote of thanks, was put to a vote and carried.)

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: The next committee to report will be that of the Flag Committee, of which Compatriot W. V. Cox, of Washington City, is Chairman.

In the absence of the Chairman (who was present in Louisville on April 30, but called to Nashville on important business), and no member of the Committee being present, Judge Beardsley read the report, at the request of the Secretary General.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON PREVENTION OF DESECRATION OF THE FLAG.

COMPATRIOTS: Your Special Flag Committee begs to report that it was represented at the last hearing before the Judiciary Committee of the United States House of Representatives on Mr. Goulden's bill to prevent and punish the desecration or improper use of the flag of the United States of America.

Representatives from various societies were also present. Your Chairman argued that as the flag was a creation of Federal law, it should be protected from improper uses by a national law. It was pointed out that the flags and symbols of all civilized countries but ours were protected by law, and as Congress had the power to create, it also had the power to protect its creation, and should do so without further delay. Much interest was manifested by the members of the Committee in the facts and illustrations submitted, but without receiving any report from the Committee, Congress adjourned without action, as it has done many times before.

To present definite data to Congressional committees, the Flag Committee has conducted an extensive correspondence with the Secretaries of the various States, to definitely ascertain in what States laws had been enacted to prevent the use of the flag for advertising and purposes other than those intended by the founders of the Republic. Courteous replies were received from most of the officials addressed, who, in States where laws were in force, enclosed copies of the same, expressing a desire to further co-operate with the Committee in securing Federal legislation.

The States that reported having flag laws were Maine, New Hampshire, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut, Vermont, New York, New Jersey, Delaware, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Iowa, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Wisconsin, Nebraska, Kansas, North Dakota, South Dakota, Colorado, Utah, Idaho, Nevada, and California. It is also understood that Maryland and Montana have such laws, though definite replies were not received.

The States that reported having no flag law were Virginia, West Virginia, Kentucky, Tennessee, Alabama, Georgia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Florida, Louisiana, Texas, Oklahoma, and Wyoming.

No replies were received from Arizona, Arkansas, Alaska, Hawaii, New Mexico, Mississippi, Oregon, Porto Rico and Washington, in some of which laws protecting the flag are known to be in force.

The Secretary of State of Georgia says: "Georgia can not legislate concerning the National Flag, but we have a law preventing the use of the State Flag for advertising purposes."

The flag laws are nearly identical, all States desiring to protect the National Flag by State legislation, made necessary by the absence of Federal law.

The State laws have proven effective. In New York, for instance, when the attention of Governor Hughes was called to a certain flagrant misuse of the flag in the advertisement of an ammonia company, he directed the district attorney, Mr. Whitman, to institute proceedings, which he did. To the credit of all concerned, the case did not go to trial, the owners agreeing to discontinue the offensive advertisement.

A case in New Jersey, somewhat similar, was settled in like manner, the defendants, manufacturers of spring beds, paying all the costs.

The Superintendent of the United States Capitol, Mr. Elliott Woods, has shown much interest and has been diligently correcting the misuse of the representation of the Nation's symbols by removing the same from mosaic pavements at the Capitol, over which the lawmakers have walked for over a generation.

The Committee has been in communication with the Librarian of Congress with a view of preventing the further misuse of the flag in the issue of copyrights. It is stated by the Librarian that during the last two years all applications to copyright pictures embodying in any way the country's flag have been carefully scrutinized and registration refused to such as resembled a trade-mark or made any objectionable use of the flag.

The Librarian says that it is only by a broad interpretation of his authority that the Register of Copyrights is able to proceed as far as he has done.

It is recommended that the attention of the President of the United States be called to the defective law mentioned by the Librarian of Congress, with a view of securing his recommendation to have the act amended, forbidding the Register of Copyrights to issue copyrights in which the symbol of government is prostituted to improper uses. Congress, by the Act of 1907, forbid the Commissioner of Patents to authorize the registration of trade-marks "if such mark consists of or comprises the Flag or Coat-of-Arms or other insignia of the United States, or any simulation thereof." (34 Stat. L., 1251.)

Congress should also forbid the authorization of registration of copyrights in which the symbol of government is improperly used.

Respectfully submitted,

W. V. Cox, *Chairman.*

Mr. STEPHENSON, of Kentucky: I move that the report of the Committee be received, with the thanks of this Congress for the work which has been done on this most important subject.

Mr. SULGROVE, of Montana, suggested a correction of the report as to Montana, claiming that that State had a law against desecration of the Flag, and Dr. Iglehart suggested a similar correction as to Maryland, making the same claim. The motion of Mr. Stephenson, duly seconded, and with the understanding that the report would be received subject to the corrections indicated by the gentlemen from Montana and Maryland, was put to a vote and carried.

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: The next report is that of the Committee on National Parks, and in the absence of the Chairman I will ask Treasurer General Burroughs to read that report.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON NATIONAL PARKS.

COMPATRIOTS: The Chairman of your Committee on National Parks has the honor to report that at a meeting held several months ago the territory constituting the field of the American Revolution was divided up between the members and each one requested to investigate and report concerning the activities within his jurisdiction in regard to public parks relating to the War for Independence. Reports have been received only from the following States:

NEW YORK.

New York has done much to preserve places identified with her Revolutionary annals. Washington's headquarters at Newburgh were taken by the State in 1849 for a State reservation. In 1887 the State took the famous Senate House at Kingston; in 1895 erected the Saratoga Battle Monument; in 1897 created the Stony Point Battlefield Reservation; in 1898 the Lake George Battlefield Reservation; in 1900 took the Clinton House at Poughkeepsie; in 1904 established the Fort Brewerton Reservation.

It has also created many public parks chiefly of scenic interest, but also with historical associations. Among such may be mentioned the Niagara Falls Reservation, the Palisades Interstate Park, the Spy Island Reservation, the Sir William Johnston Mansion and Block House at Johnstown, Watkins Glen Reservation, the Philipse Manor Hall in Yonkers, the Fire Island State Park, the Adirondack Forest Preserve, the Catskill Forest Preserve, and the St. Lawrence Reservation. During the past year it has taken the Schuyler Mansion in Albany for a public monument. Many of these undertakings since the organization of the S. A. R. have had its hearty endorsement and co-operation. In the city of New York the creation of the Washington's Headquarters Park in 160th Street was largely promoted by our Society. We have also been instrumental in the erection of various tablets and monuments, notably that at Dobbs Ferry and that at Fort Washington, in New York City. The Society is now arranging to dedicate, on Memorial Day, a tablet to be placed on old St. Paul's Church in Eastchester, New York City, commemorating the history of that venerable church, which was used as a hospital during the Revolution and which stands on a Revolutionary training ground.

On account of the many historical events connected with this State, there is abundant opportunity for continuing this work of historical commemoration.

Not the least of the recent successful efforts of the Society has been the removal of the new State's prison from the proposed site near Stony Point to another site without historical associations.

NEW JERSEY.

From the Rev. John Hobart Egbert, our Compatriot of Chatham, N. J., we learn that there has been some excellent work done at Springfield, N. J., during the year in connection with the Revolutionary cemetery at that point. The grounds have been graded and beautified, the approaches and entrance improved, and they have been adorned by the building of broad concrete steps. A flagstaff fifty feet high has been erected and bears a beautiful flag on all national occasions. The permanent right of way from the public highway has been secured, and a marker large enough to attract the attention of travelers passing along the main thoroughfare has been placed conspicuously indicating the location of the cemetery. A custodian of the grounds has been secured to keep them in order.

It is suggested that the beautiful tract of from 20 to 50 acres adjoining the cemetery at Springfield be purchased, as it is believed that the property can be acquired at a very reasonable figure.

The project for the creation of a National Park on the Delaware River at Trenton, to commemorate the crossing of the Delaware by Washington on the night of Christmas, 1776, has aroused widespread interest, and it is earnestly to be hoped that it will be carried to a successful issue.

PENNSYLVANIA.

From Compatriot Moses Veale, President of the Philadelphia Chapter, we learn that the S. A. R. have taken an active interest in urging the Federal Government and the municipal governments to acquire and preserve forest reservations and parks, and that they have met with great success. Pennsylvania is interested equally with New Jersey in the creation of the reservation to mark Washington's crossing of the Delaware. It would be desirable if beautiful parks could be created on the two sides of the river, including the termini of the crossing, and, if practicable, that some ornamental bridge or passageway be constructed across the river.

OHIO.

In Ohio we learn from Compatriot W. L. Curry that the S. A. R. have located the graves of a number of Revolutionary soldiers during the past year and had them marked with bronze tablets. This work has been going on for several years, with a result that upwards of 2,500 graves have been located. The law relating to the marking of soldiers' graves, largely through the influence of the Ohio Society S. A. R., has been amended to include soldiers of the Revolution.

Compatriot Curry renews his recommendation that a tablet should be placed in the Museum of American History in Patriots' Hall, Valley Forge, to perpetuate the sacrifices and heroic deeds of the Revolutionary ancestors of the Ohio Society, S. A. R., who were at Valley Forge in the winter of 1777-1778.

Compatriot A. B. Johnson reports that in Hardin County, Ohio, is the site of Fort McArthur, which was built during the War of 1812 and which it would be desirable to have taken for a public park. It is located about three miles west of Kenton, on the south bank of the Scioto River.

PERRY'S VICTORY.

The approach of the one hundredth anniversary of Perry's victory has aroused the interest of many States in its commemoration, and various suggestions have been made. One is for the erection of a memorial bridge at Niagara Falls; another is the erection of a memorial tower at Toledo. As the War of 1812 was really an addendum of the War for Independence, the Sons of the American Revolution might properly take measures for promoting the general commemoration of Perry's victory and a little later the centennial of the anniversary of peace with Great Britain, which has remained unbroken since the second war with that country.

Respectfully submitted, EDWARD HAGAMAN HALL,
Chairman.

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: Gentlemen, what is your pleasure regarding this report of the Committee on National Parks?

General GREELEY: I move that the report be accepted.

Colonel MACK: Mr. President General, in regard to Perry's Victory, Congress has already appropriated $75,000 for a monument in Put-in-

Bay, where Perry made ready before going out to make his attack on the British, and the State of Ohio has also appropriated money for that purpose, and so have the States of Kentucky and Indiana and other States. That is expected to be one of the greatest celebrations of its kind we have ever had.

(The motion as made and seconded was duly carried.)

REPORT OF PRESS COMMITTEE.

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: The next report is that of the Press Committee, of which Secretary General Clark is Chairman, and he will make that report.

Mr. CLARK: I have nothing special to say, except that the Press Committee has done some work during the year by sending out some articles which have been published throughout the country through press syndicates, and the work of the Society has been kept before the public in a most dignified way. I would like to call upon one of the members of the Press Committee, Mr. Edwin S. Crandon, President of the Massachusetts Society, who can tell us about the good work the Boston *Evening Transcript* has been doing in this line.

Mr. CRANDON: Although this request of Mr. Clark's that I speak of the particular work of the paper with which I am connected comes to me unexpectedly, I appreciate very much this opportunity of saying a word for the gentlemen of my profession at this time. It is true that I am connected with a Boston newspaper, although not in charge of what might be called its "patriotic department." But if you will allow me to talk impersonally, as a member of the Sons of the American Revolution, and forget for the moment that I am connected with a particular paper, but simply that I am a member of the press, I hope I may say a few words that will be helpful. If any of you can get up next to the newspaper men, of course you will do it, always; but those who have come in contact with papers in connection with patriotic work realize that there is no work under the heavens that can be more properly subjected to criticism than that of a part of the press which is making a great deal of American history for us today. I am not going to argue the merits of the "White Press" against the "Yellow Press," but I do say that the press is largely what its readers demand; and that there are papers, many of them, which do not stand for an educational, moral or patriotic tone. I admit that, as a member of my profession. That there are others that would drag down and debase is equally plain.

Now, we have a paper in Boston that, years ago, was an eight-page paper that sold for four cents. Today it has thirty to over fifty pages and sells for three cents. That particular paper has from four to five columns of news matter devoted entirely and exclusively to the patriotic societies. The idea originated with our paper about the time our Societies began to get busy, and it went into it as a matter of news, because many of its readers were interested in these Societies. The

members of our Societies in the Commonwealth, and many in other States, learned that there was one newspaper that would print all they would give it, subject, of course, to the editorial blue pencil. And so we have in the *Transcript* every week matters received from the members of the Sons of the American Revolution and kindred societies all over the country. The idea was found to be a good one. We have three other papers in the city of Boston that have departments of similar nature, making four dailies in all, besides several weekly papers, which have several columns devoted to these patriotic societies.

I am very glad to have had this privilege of being accorded an opportunity to say a word for the press, and I want to conclude by saying that as you find the press, as I have indicated, in any one part of the country is anxious to co-operate with you, aid your Press Committee by remembering and acting on the motto on the seal of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts—the first seal—"Come over and help us." (Applause.)

Mr. DEWEY, of Vermont: The splendid remarks of Mr. Crandon remind me that we in Vermont know the value of the work of the editor and newspaper man. In Montpelier we have a paper that gives us full recognition, for the Secretary of our State Society is a newspaper man, and we have held him in that position for fifteen years. There is no trouble with us in getting any patriotic work done by us in the papers.

(On motion made and seconded, the report of the Committee was ordered received.)

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: The next committee to report will be the Committee on Pensions and Muster Rolls, Col. Gilbert C. Kniffin, of Washington City, Chairman.

Colonel KNIFFIN: Before reading this report, I might say that I am in charge of the Revolutionary records in the Pension Office, and they are being prepared under my supervision. (Applause.)

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON PENSION AND MUSTER ROLLS.

Col. Gilbert C. Kniffin, *Chairman*, Washington, D. C.; Zebina Moses, Washington, D. C.; Major E. B. Tolman, Chicago, Ill.; Luther Atwood, Lynn, Mass.; Col. R. W. Guthrie, Pittsburg, Pa.; Col. D. Russ Wood, Terre Haute, Ind.; Charles Kingsbury Miller, Chicago, Ill.

COMPATRIOTS: There is little to add to the report made last year by Compatriot Zebina Moses, then Chairman of this Committee.

Delay in the completion of the work of carding the records is not owing to lack of interest in it on the part of the Commissioner of Pensions, nor to lack of industry by the clerical force assigned by him to the work, but solely to the condition of the papers contained in the Revolutionary War claims, which is such as to require the most careful handling to prevent irreparable injury. Many are broken at the folds and require mending. Every precaution against the loss of the smallest scrap of paper is taken, as it may be a part of an important link in the military or personal history of the soldier.

When in November, 1907, the Revolutionary records were transferred

from the Old War to the Record Division of the Bureau of Pensions, for the purpose of carding, a section was formed under charge of Miss Annie E. Wilson, a zealous, intelligent, and most competent clerk. Under her management her corps of efficient clerks have pushed the work of flat filing the pension claims as rapidly as proper care of the papers contained in them would permit.

There are on file over 74,000 claims for pension filed by Revolutionary soldiers and widows. They were originally arranged numerically without regard to the name of the soldier, the State from which he enlisted, or the branch of the service to which he was assigned—infantry, cavalry or artillery.

The ultimate design being to arrange the cards alphabetically, it soon developed that this could not be accomplished until the last card was written. It was then determined that the most expeditious method that could be adopted, in order that the names of all soldiers and their widows might be arranged alphabetically, would be to arrange the claims in that manner. While this is being done the wrappers are taken off, the papers straightened, and, when found to be torn, repaired and placed in large square envelopes endorsed with the name of the soldier, and his service, the number of the claim and the name of his widow, if one survived.

These claims thus flat filed are placed in file cases and arranged alphabetically. This work is nearly completed, and when done the records will be ready for carding. The cards will contain the military history of the soldier, the names of his wife and children and relations so far as shown in the claims. They will also be filed alphabetically, and will form a ready reference from which inquiries for genealogy may be promptly answered. During the past year 4,279 such inquiries have been replied to.

In calling for information relating to Revolutionary ancestry, the full name of the soldier, the State where he enlisted, the names of his commanding officers, the given name of his wife, with approximate date of soldier's death, should, if possible, be given, but if the writer has no other knowledge of his ancestry than that the soldier lived in a certain State when he enlisted, this fact should be stated, together with any other circumstances connected with his service in the army.

Many letters of inquiry are returned with request for data to guide the search for a remote ancestor who may or may not have had Revolutionary service.

In 1832 the law was enacted under which Revolutionary soldiers were pensioned, and they were called upon for statements of their military service. Half a century had passed since these old soldiers had been mustered out of service, and like nearly all old soldiers, even those of the present day, they were poor in purse, but rich in memories of the glorious War for the Independence of their native land and justly proud of the part they had performed. A vast amount of unprinted history is contained in the simple annals of the times that tried men's souls. Thus the sentry on guard in front of the headquarters of General Benedict Arnold at West Point tells how Arnold rode up the river from an interview with the British fleet commander, entered his room, where he remained but a few minutes, mounted his horse and rode rapidly away.

In her petition for a pension Hannah, the widow of Isaac Davis, captain of a company of Minute Men, killed at Concord Bridge April 19, 1775, who with Abner Hosmer, were the only men killed, after firing the shot that was heard around the world, tells the story of this battle.

The ride of Paul Revere is historic and the battle has been immortalized in song and story. Captain Davis, hastily collecting his company, marched to Concord. His widow thus describes their parting: "He had

four children, from one to ten years of age, they were all sick. He was strongly attached to them and had a presentiment that he would not return. He well knew his danger, but he was a stranger to fear. Between him and his company there was strong attachment and unlimited confidence. When he had ordered the company to be formed at the door of the house and all things were ready for the march, he turned to me as if to take leave, but his heart was too full for words. He could only say, 'Take good care of the children,' and immediately with firm step and voice he was on the march to Concord," where he came to his death.

The personal history of Enoch Crosby, the original of Fenimore Cooper's "Spy," under the name of Harvey Birch, is replete with startling incidents of his perilous calling. The capture by the Committee of Safety of several companies of Tories, forming for the purpose of joining the British army at New York, was due to the vigilance and dauntless courage of this noted spy.

This is how General Putnam's orderly described the famous ride down the stone steps: "A few days after I enlisted, the British, a part of General Tryon's forces, attacked our men stationed near the meeting-house. A cannon or two opened upon the enemy until they approached in so great force and so near that General Putnam ordered the men to retreat and save themselves the best they could.

"He also retreated on his horse at full speed, pursued closely by the British horse. He rode down a flight of stone teps, the top of which was about sixty rods from the meeting-house. He did not ride down more than fifteen or twenty of them (there being, I think, about one hundred of them on the whole) and then dismounted and led his horse down as fast as possible. I was at the bottom of the steps as soon as he was.

"He then mounted his horse, told me to make my escape to a swamp not far off, and he rode away. By this time the British horse, who had gone around the hill by the usual traveled road, came in sight in pursuit. I ran toward the swamp. One of the dragoons took after me. As I was getting over a stone wall, he overtook me. He halloed, 'Stop, you little devil, or I'll take your head off.' I surrendered."

There are graphic narratives of campaigns and battles and suffering by soldiers in winter quarters, of the return to their homes, footsore and weary. There were no palace cars for soldiers in those days, when Johnny came marching home.

It is probable that a satisfactory report will be made at the next Congress. Meantime the flat filing of the claims and the subsequent carding of the records will be prosecuted with diligence and with due regard to the value to the descendants of the soiled and broken papers contained in these pension claims, in many of which there are autographs of inestimable value, which are carefully guarded from collectors.

With regard to the ultimate publication of the records of the Revolution as contained in the personal narratives of the survivors, the papers above referred to are not suitable for printer's copy. They are in so dilapidated a condition that they cannot be allowed to leave the custody of the Government. The autographs of historic characters are of great value to collectors, and must be, as they now are, guarded with jealous care. If, after they have been carded, there should be some way devised, by photography or otherwise, by which the original papers may be put in type, I am confident that the descendants of the brave defenders of our liberties will consider the cost of publication money well expended.

GILBERT C. KNIFFIN,
Chairman.

Colonel KNIFFIN: If there is any question that any delegate would like to ask concerning any matter I have not made plain in this report, I will be glad to answer him. You must understand that these claims are very old, and have been rolled up tight like this (indicating). Many of them were carried in the pockets of these men that were mustered out of service in 1783, carried on their backs, and of course they are not in the best condition and have to be handled very carefully.

Mr. DEWEY, of Vermont: I would like to ask a question of Colonel Kniffin for information. Some of our Grand Army men had occasion to look up some records, and they found where a certain man was in the Massachusetts Regiment and became a sergeant. At four different times his name appeared on the pension rolls, and three times he was dropped. His descendants stated, in taking the oath, that they were not able to support themselves. Can you answer why that was done? I know of three other cases, where the parties had good records—where one man was wounded, and his brother was killed, and the other was shot in the leg, and afterwards became an elder or preacher at Montpelier, in the early historic days. None of these ever received a pension, or ever applied for one, as far as I know.

Colonel KNIFFIN: That may be true. There are a vast number of rejected claims. And there is another thing: you must bear in mind that these are pension claims, and many of our ancestors were well off and did not care to apply for a pension, and we have only those that did apply, where the pension was allowed or rejected.

Colonel GUTHRIE: As a member of the Pension Committee, whose report has just been made by Colonel Kniffin, I wish to say that this is the unanimous report of the committee, but that all the work was done by Colonel Kniffin, and therefore I wish to ask the Congress to accept the report and spread it upon the minutes, with a vote of thanks to Colonel Kniffin.

Judge BEARDSLEY: One word of information to Colonel Dewey. I think no soldier received a Revolutionary pension unless he was in needy circumstances, and I know of one or two instances in Connecticut where men deeded their property away to their children in order that they might become eligible. (Laughter.)

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: That puts a little different phase on the character of the Connecticut men from that of the Vermont men.

Mr: MOORES: Over at Frankfort, Ky., in the land office, there are records of Revolutionary land grants made by Virginia, issued for a thousand acres of land, if I remember. I examined them with a good deal of interest. I want to ask if there is any record of the services of these men, to whom these grants were made, kept either in Virginia or by the Federal government.

Colonel KNIFFIN: This would come under the head of Bounty Land Claims.

Mr. MOORES: These grants were from Virginia. One is signed by Governor Henry Lee, I remember.

Colonel KNIFFIN: There was a vast number of them in mountain land claims.

Mr. MOORES: They could be located in Washington?

Colonel KNIFFIN: Yes, sir.

Mr. SPANGLER: I have had twenty years' experience in the Pension Bureau; and, speaking with reference to the inquiry of Colonel Dewey, you will find that many of the pension claims on account of Revolutionary services were granted on account of destitution and for services rendered, and you will find in nearly every case the applicant states the value of his property. They were required to explain this and notify the Pension Department at the time just what they possessed, and in nearly every case there is a certified statement as to their property, going into the fullest details—into small matters that would not be regarded as worth anything at the present time at all.

Mr. MOORES: Do the land claims granted by the Commonwealth of Virginia on account of Revolutionary services give the name of the soldier?

Mr. SPANGLER: Yes; they were granted without regard to property, and were granted for services in the Revolutionary War, mostly to officers; and many of these land grants were in what is now other States, but granted by Virginia.

Mr. WENTWORTH: Is that true of other States?

Mr. SPANGLER: I think so.

Mr. STEELE: I wish to present to the Congress between now and the adjournment a set of resolutions, or a copy of certain resolutions, passed by the Daughters of the American Revolution a week ago in Washington, and later on I wish to present them, at their request. It follows along the line of the petition to Congress at this time, of not only publishing, eventually, the pension records, but the land-bounty claims, and all other records showing the services of these soldiers in the Revolutionary War. I will bring that up at a later time.

Colonel GUTHRIE: We have in our Pennsylvania archives almost a complete list of all the land grants of the Revolution. These volumes are published, and can be easily acquired.

The SECRETARY GENERAL: The Virginia land grants for service in the Revolution were published by the State about the year 1832 or 1835.

Mr. SPANGLER: Since that motion has been made, I desire to second it, with a vote of thanks to Colonel Kniffin .

Colonel THOMPSON: I move to amend that the report be printed in the Year Book.

(Motion as seconded and amended was put to a vote and carried.)

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: The Report of the Committee on Information for Aliens, Commander Moore, Chairman, is next in order. In the absence of the Chairman, I will call on Secretary General Clark to read that report, inasmuch as he is also a member of that Committee.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON INFORMATION FOR ALIENS.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 26, 1911.

The Committee has had quite an active year in distributing leaflets and attending to the correspondence which has been constant throughout the year.

It is pleasing to note that greater interest in our leaflets has been taken in the night schools of several of our larger cities, and that large numbers have been distributed by them. We know of no better way in which the alien can be reached than through the night schools. We therefore recommend that every effort be made to interest the principals of our night schools in their distribution.

Because we have distributed thousands of leaflets this year is no reason why the work should cease during the coming year.

Such seems to be the reasoning of some of our Chapters and Societies. They do magnificent work for one year and then stop. The alien comes and goes and we always have them with us, and it is only through constant, persistent work that we are to be able to assist them. The coming year should see our Society take a new hold of this grand work and exceed anything that has been done in the past.

Last September we received a letter from our compatriot, Senator Dillingham, Chairman of the Immigration Commission, which was about to make its report to Congress, asking for certain information from our Committee.

We give our answer in full:

COMMITTEE ON INFORMATION FOR ALIENS,
SONS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION,
WASHINGTON, D.C., September 20, 1910.

Com. John H. Moore, U. S. N., *Chairman;* Hon. Charles Lyman, A. Howard Clark.

Hon. WILLIAM P. DILLINGHAM,
Chairman of the Immigration Commission, Washington, D. C.

MY DEAR SIR: We thank you for the opportunity you have given to the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution to place on file the results of its work during the past three years with the alien.

We will answer your questions seriatim.

1st. Origin and purpose of the Society's work for immigrants.

In the constitution of our Society, under the heading of Purposes and Objects, will be found, among other provisions, the following: "To foster true patriotism and to maintain and extend the institutions of American freedom." In 1907, when the immigration to this country reached the unparalleled number of one million and a half, the Sons of the American Revolution felt that the time had come for them to take some action towards aiding the assimilation of this vast and motley horde. This question was taken up and discussed at the National Congress, held at Denver in 1907, with the result that a Committee on Information for Aliens was created. At the meeting of the Executive Committee a plan was outlined and over one-half the income of the Society was appropriated to carry on the work.

2d. Character and extent of work done.

A small leaflet was prepared, written in the most simple English, entitled "Information for Immigrants Concerning the United States: Its Opportunities, Government, and Institutions," a copy of which is appended and marked A.

This leaflet was translated and printed in the following languages: English, Italian, Yiddish, Polish, Magyar, Slovinian, Slovak, Croatian, Swedish, Greek, Bohemian, German, Norwegian, Danish, and Lithuanian. It was copied entire in a large number of the daily papers throughout the country and by most of the papers printed in a foreign language.

Our State Societies and Chapters took the matter up and local committees were appointed to attend to its distribution.

Manufacturers, mining companies, employers of labor, settlement workers, and other patriotic societies became interested in the work, with the result that hundreds of thousands of leaflets were distributed among our alien population. The night schools in several of our largest cities were very helpful, as the leaflet was carried home, where it could be read by all members of the family.

Two years' work showed the need of further instructions, so a second leaflet was prepared and printed, entitled "Naturalization of aliens in the United States: How to become citizens; what is required; rights and duties," a copy of which is appended, marked B.

This leaflet has been distributed in large numbers. It has not been printed in any foreign language, as our Committee did not deem it wise, in view of the fact that an alien must speak English to a certain extent before he can become naturalized.

3d. Results.

We can only judge of the results obtained through this work by the reports we have received from our numerous State Societies and Chapters. Judging by them, we do not hesitate to state that the work has been very beneficial. The leaflets in most cases have been gratefully received and often have been sought for.

4th. What, in your opinion, can the National Government do to assist immigrants on their arrival at United States ports?

After three years' co-operation work with the Division of Information of the Department of Commerce and Labor, we do not hesitate to state that its scope should be largely increased by the establishment of branch offices in the large cities where the immigrants go upon their arrival at the seaboard. The tendency of the immigrant is to remain at the port where he lands. Anything that will induce him to go inland will be beneficial. At our seaports he is at the mercy of large numbers of "Intelligence offices," where he is robbed and in many cases treated unmercifully. By increasing the scope of the Division of Information, all this could be largely obliterated.

5th. What, in your opinion, can the National Government do to promote the assimilation or Americanization of immigrants?

The Government taxes every immigrant four dollars before he is allowed to land. This sum is sufficient to admit of the Government doing something for the immigrant after he lands. In our opinion, the Government should do everything it can to induce the immigrant to leave our congested cities and spread out over the land. Where there are but a few immigrants they quickly become Americanized, and it is only a question of time when they become assimilated. We would most earnestly recommend for this purpose the establishment of branch offices of the Division of Information of the Department of Commerce and Labor in all our cities where large numbers of immigrants are landed, and, further, that branch offices of the same division be established at Chicago and St. Louis and later at some points in the South like Atlanta.

We do not think it for the best that our Government should go as far as the German Government has in the establishment of "Intelligence offices," but we do think that our present plan of assisting the immigrant through the Division of Information of the Department of Commerce and Labor should be expanded and enlarged.

Respectfully, JOHN H. MOORE, *Chairman.*

It is a pleasure to state that the same pleasant relationship between your Committee and the Department of Commerce and Labor continues, and when the Department is ready to establish its branch offices of the Division of Information, which we hope to see done shortly, our Society should lend a helping hand in making them a success in their endeavors to transfer the alien from the congested districts to the sparsely settled sections.

Respectfully, JNO. H. MOORE,
Chairman, Committee on Information for Aliens.

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: What is the pleasure of the Congress as to this report?

Mr. BACON: I move that the report be accepted and placed on file, with the thanks of the Congress to the gentlemen who have made it.

(Motion seconded by Mr. Dix and Mr. Paine and carried.)

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: The next report is that of the Committee on Jefferson Memorial, Rear Admiral George W. Baird, U. S. N., Chairman. I will ask him to read that report.

COMMITTEE ON JEFFERSON MEMORIAL.

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: Your Committee on the Jefferson Memorial begs leave to report that the measure to appropriate $100,000 for the purpose of placing a memorial to Thomas Jefferson in the City of Washington was passed in the third session of the Sixty-first Congress in the Senate, but was thrown out in conference.

During the current session of Congress (first session of the Sixty-second Congress) Senator Bacon, of Georgia, succeeded in getting a measure through the Senate for the appropriation, and it was done on that Senator's recommendation, without reference to a committee. This is something very unusual, and but for the fact that it had twice previously passed the Senate and for the profound respect Senator Bacon, of Georgia, is held in, it would have been impossible.

The measure is now pending in the House of Representatives, and the Senator from Georgia is using his good offices to assist the bill there. We believe the appropriation will be made during this Congress.

With great respect, your servants,

G. W. BAIRD.
GEORGE TULLY VAUGHAN.
CALEB C. MAGRUDER, JR.

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: What is your pleasure regarding the report of this Committee?

Mr. WILLIAMS, of New Jersey: I move that the report be accepted and placed on file, and that the Congress pass a vote of thanks to the Chairman for the able manner in which he has done his work.

(Motion duly seconded and carried.)

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: The next report is that of the Committee on Advance Work, Compatriot Nelson A. McClary, Chairman. I will ask him to present the report.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ADVANCE WORK.

Your Committee, which under a resolution adopted by the Toledo Congress was appointed "to take under advisement some plan of work which shall carry out the purposes of the Society, as above

expressed, to the end that the Society shall interest itself in matters of present-day importance and by such work attract large numbers to membership," begs to report:

First. That it has, as it was bound to do, taken into consideration the resolution adopted by the Congress immediately after the adoption of the resolution just quoted, to-wit, that the said resolution "as to subject-matter, other than the appointment of the committee, be referred to the Executive Committee, in order that the committee to be appointed may have the advantage of any suggestions which the Executive Committee may be able to give them."

Second. That it has received no suggestions from the Executive Committee concerning any proposed departure or new work.

Third. That, in the opinion of your Committee, no radical departure from the lines of work already laid down by the Society is either necessary or desirable.

Respectfully submitted,

EDWIN S. GREELEY,
EDWIN WARFIELD,
JAMES DENTON HANCOCK,
MORRIS B. BEARDSLEY,
NELSON A. MCCLARY, *Chairman,*
Committee.

(Motion made and seconded that the report be received and printed in the Year Book. Carried.)

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: The next report is that of the Committee on Investment of the Permanent Fund, of which I have the honor to be Chairman. The Treasurer General has already submitted a complete report on this subject.

GEORGE WASHINGTON MEMORIAL BUILDING.

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: The last committee in the regular list is that of the Committee on George Washington Memorial Building. In the absence of the chairman of that committee, I will ask the Secretary General to make a report.

The SECRETARY GENERAL: The chairman is not present, and no report has been submitted. I can state in a general way that there was sent out, at the expense of the Memorial Association, a circular inviting contributions to this fund. The result of that, I think, was about $2,750 received and sent to the George Washington Memorial Association as the response of members of this Society.

Judge BEARDSLEY: As I understand, it is the purpose to devote this building to the uses of patriotic and scientific societies, and it is the intention to expend two millions of dollars in the erection of the building, with half a million more for other purposes. I see from the papers that the first half million has been received.

HISTORIAN GENERAL PIERSON: There has been raised $600,000, I think. Mrs. Dimock, with her assistants, has established organizations in every State, and a plan is under way to guarantee the entire fund, so the building may be started next year.

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: The report of the Committee on Naval Records is in the hands of Compatriot Clark and he will read it.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON NAVAL RECORDS.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 26, 1911.

During the past year progress has been made in indexing the Naval Records of the Revolution and of gathering at the Navy Department the Revolutionary Naval Records that have been stored in the other Executive Departments.

Your Committee presented to the Secretary of the Navy a strong argument in favor of not only continuing but extending the work, and have received assurances that the work will be increased.

Respectfully,

JNO. H. MOORE,
Chairman, Committee on Naval Records.

(Motion made and seconded that the report be received and published in the Year Book, and motion carried.)

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: The next thing in the order of business will be the annual reports from State Societies.

Judge BEARDSLEY: What is the usual course in that matter, Mr. President General? Can not time be saved here?

Doctor GUYER: I move that the reading of the reports be dispensed with and that they appear as usual in the Year Book.

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: The customary method is to allow the Secretary General to make abstracts for publication.

Judge BEARDSLEY: I move that the reports be duly accepted and printed.

Doctor GUYER: I second that motion.

(The motion as seconded was carried.)

REPORTS OF STATE SOCIETIES.

(See also Historian General's Report.)

ARIZONA SOCIETY.

Membership April 1, 1910	51
New members	3
Deaths 2, demitted 1	3
Gain or loss	0
Membership March 31, 1911	51

The fifteenth annual banquet was held at the Country Club, Phœnix, on the evening of February 22. Attorney General John B. Wright delivered an address on the advantages of the democratic form of government; Dr. Mark Rodgers, of Tucson, spoke on the practice of medicine during the period of the Revolution; Mr. W. M. Seabury, on the good accomplished by patriotic societies in teaching the doctrine of patriotism, and Mr. Isaac T. Stoddard and Governor Sloan made patriotic addresses.

ARKANSAS SOCIETY.

Membership April 1, 1910	28
New members	1
Membership March 31, 1911	29

The Society held its annual meeting on February 22 at Little Rock, when the officers of the previous year were re-elected. The Society has presented a portrait of Washington to the Kramer School, of Little Rock. Progress is being made in organizing local Chapters at several points in Arkansas. At the dinner following the business session, responses to patriotic toasts were as follows: "The National Congress," by Mr. Frank W. Rawles, President; "Lafayette," by Rev. H. N. Hyde; "Paul Jones and the American Navy," by Mr. Fay Hempstead, Secretary; "General Nathanael Greene," by Mr. George Russ Brown.

CALIFORNIA SOCIETY.

Membership April 1, 1910	421
New members 27, transfers 3	30
Deaths 11, resigned 9	20
Gain	10
Membership March 31, 1911	431

The California Society is gaining materially in membership and prospering generally. The number of members on the roll at present is 431, with 14 applications in hand. The activities of the Society have not been numerous this year, and have been already reported to and published in the monthly bulletins of the National Society. Two meetings were planned but fell through owing to failure in perfecting arrangements and obtaining speakers.

An infraction of the law relating to the desecration of the U. S. flag by a fruit packing company in this city was discovered through the vigilance of two members of this Society, whose prompt action in the matter compelled the discontinuance of the use of a print of the flag on their package labels.

An amendment to the Constitution of this Society to bring it in conformity with the National Constitution has been submitted and will be adopted at the annual meeting April 19th, striking out the words "or as a civil officer, either of one of the Colonies or States or of the National Government."

Under date of June 9, 1910, a Chapter was established at San Diego with a membership of 16. It is designated "San Diego Chapter No. 2."

EDWIN BONNELL, *Secretary.*

COLORADO SOCIETY.

Membership April 1, 1910	257
New members 30, transfers 3	33
Deaths 3, resigned 4, demitted 7, dropped 19	33
Gain or loss	0
Membership March 31, 1911	257

During the past year the Society has been in a flourishing condition. It added new members equivalent to ten per cent of the total membership one year ago today. A new Chapter was established at Fort Collins on April 15, 1911. The Denver Chapter in particular has been full of activity during the year, holding regular monthly meetings at the residences of members which have been well attended and well worthy of attendance.

The Board of Managers held five regular and five special meetings since the last election. The Board authorized a quantity of literature

published, including the Chapter's monthly bulletins, the Year Book issued last July, and a historical manual. Henceforth the Bulletin, issued under the caption "The Spirit of Seventy Six," is to be edited by the Educational Committee.

Special mention should be made of the many patriotic lectures and entertainments given under the auspices of Denver Chapter in addition to the regular monthly meetings, all of which have been announced in the Bulletin from time to time. Particularly worthy of comment is the prominent part taken by this Society through its Denver Chapter in the last Fourth of July celebration. A safe and sane observance of that day was conducted along purely patriotic lines, resulting in much pleasure for all and in no loss of life, limb or property. A combination of over 30 patriotic, public and civic bodies under the title of "The Denver Patriotic League" was responsible for holding probably the most entirely successful celebration of this kind in our country. State President Wardner Williams is President of the Denver Patriotic League and among its most active workers are members of the Denver Chapter, who are planning a bigger, better celebration for this year.

This is a patriotic work which should peculiarly appeal to members of our Society. It could be profitably undertaken by other Chapters of Colorado and elsewhere. Commenting on this subject, the Secretary General in his last report states: "A feature of special interest and importance during the year has been the patriotic celebrations by local Chapters, particularly in Illinois, New Jersey, Colorado, Massachusetts, Connecticut, and Pennsylvania. The result has been large additions to membership and an incentive to the formation of Chapters in other localities. There can be no doubt but that a fuller development of the Chapter plan will increase the Society's numbers and influence."

We need more members and more Chapters in this State. No doubt many are eligible for membership in Pueblo, Grand Junction, Boulder and other cities of this Commonwealth. If they can be patriotically interested in a profitable work—something that appeals to them as beneficent and worth while—they will soon seek admission to our Society, which will thus extend its patriotic influence in the making of good citizens and the promotion of sound American principles.

Another feature of work undertaken by certain members of the Colorado Society should be briefly commented upon with pride. I refer to the organization of new State Societies by the Committee on Organization of the North and West appointed by the National Society and consisting of Compatriots Dr. Clarkson N. Guyer, Chairman; Jos. F. Tuttle, Jr., and Frank Merriam Keezer. This committee has organized no less than six new State Societies in the past three years, as follows: March, 1908, Wyoming; December, 1908, New Mexico; April, 1909, Idaho; February, 1910, Nevada; January, 1911, South Dakota, and February, 1911, North Dakota. Compatriot H. T. Vaille also assisted in organizing Wyoming. These achievements certainly reflect the high degree of accomplishment possessed by some of our members, and the record of their successful work should be duplicated by those in similar authority in our State Society in the organization of State Chapters.

W. W. KIRBY, *Secretary.*

CONNECTICUT SOCIETY.

Membership April 1, 1910	1,081
New members 48, transfers 3	51
Deaths 22, resignation 1, demitted 6	29
Gain	22
Membership March 31, 1910	1,103

The Connecticut Society numbers 1,103 members, which includes 51 new members that have been admitted since April 1, 1910.

Five meetings of the Board of Managers have been held during the year, with good attendance and great interest shown in the proceedings.

The graves of many Revolutionary soldiers and sailors have been marked with the Society marker during the year.

A Field Day was held at Compo Beach, Westport, on June 17th, and after the clam-bake at the beach a life-size bronze statue of "The Minute Man" was unveiled with appropriate ceremonies. This statue was designed by H. Daniel Webster and erected by the Society to commemorate the heroism of the patriots who defended their country when the British, under General Tryon, invaded Connecticut in April, 1777.

General David Wooster, Colonel Abraham Gould, and more than one hundred Continentals fell in the engagement at Ridgefield and closing at Compo Hill. The ceremonies included singing by a High School chorus and children of other schools and patriotic addresses by Hon. Morris B. Beardsley, President Lewis B. Curtis, Selectman Wakeman, of Westport; William H. Burr, Mr. Webster, Mrs. Buell, the State Regent, and Mrs. Sterling, the Vice-Regent of the Daughters of the American Revolution, and concluded with a poem on "The Minute Man," by Mrs. Agnes Lewis Mitchell.

The Connecticut Society of the Sons of the American Revolution has to its credit in this line the purchase, fitting up and maintenance of the old war office at Lebanon; the purchase and restoration of the Nathan Hale school-house at New London, and five bronze tablets marking historical sites in different parts of the State.

Connecticut is not rich in these sites. She furnished about one-eighth of the entire Continental Army. Her sons fought on every field but little at home. It was her boast—and almost true—that no foreign foe remained over night on her soil.

The Connecticut Society has published an illustrated pamphlet of thirty-one pages, entitled "The Minute Man."

General David Humphreys Branch of New Haven on Memorial Day, June 26, 1910, assisted by the Second Company Governor's Foot Guard, decorated the graves of one hundred and eighty-seven Revolutionary soldiers and patriots in Grove Street Cemetery and elsewhere.

The exercises included invocation by Rev. Anson Phelps Stokes, Jr., Chaplain of the Branch; remarks by President Seymour C. Loomis, and an address by Hon. A. Heaton Robertson.

The General Silliman Branch, of Bridgeport, held a banquet at the Stratfield Hotel on January 19th, over a hundred members and lady guests being present.

President Orlando H. Brothwell acted as toastmaster, and the speakers were the Rev. A. C. Thompson, Rev. John De Peu, Gen. E. S. Greeley, and Edward Mallory, of New Haven,

The Nathan Hale Branch, of New London, took part in the celebration by the G. A. R. of the Fiftieth Anniversary of the going out of Company E; also a banquet was held at the Thames Club. President P. Le Roy Harwood acted as toastmaster.

The Hartford Branch of the Connecticut Society was formed January 17th and has a Charter membership of over two hundred. The Branch was named the Colonel Jeremiah Wadsworth Branch, in honor of that most prominent patriot in Hartford during the Revolutionary War and his splendid work as Commissary General under General Washington.

The fall meeting was held at the Hartford Club, with supper at 6.30 p. m. After the supper a very interesting paper was read by Mr. F. Clarence Bissell upon "The march of the Rifle Battalions across Connecticut in August, 1775," a large amount of the material having

been found in an old account book discovered in the office of the State Comptroller.

The winter meeting was held at the Hartford Club, with supper at 6.30 p. m. After the supper the meeting adjourned to the rooms of the Connecticut Historical Society, where the Librarian, Mr. Albert C. Bates, gave a very interesting lecture and exhibited many letters and relics connected with Col. Jeremiah Wadsworth and other Revolutionary officers.

The spring meeting was held at the residence of President Dr. George C. F. Williams, where a very interesting paper on the "Puritan Sunday" was read by Mr. Charles Hopkins Clark.

The summer meeting will be held at the Hartford Club, with a supper at 6.30 p. m., after which the meeting will adjourn to the State Library, where the Librarian, Mr. George S. Godard, will have many interesting letters and relics to show us.

The Connecticut Society held its twenty-second annual dinner at the Hotel Garde, Hartford, on February 22. Dr. George C. F. Williams, President of the Colonel Jeremiah Wadsworth Branch, presided as toastmaster. Addresses were made by President Curtis, of the State Society; Hon. Edward L. Smith, Mayor of Hartford; Rev. William Douglas MacKenzie, D.D., LL.D.; Col. Norris G. Osborne, and Rev. John Calvin Goddard.

Mayor Smith said that present-day democracy was a complex thing as compared to the days of Washington. This country was a melting-pot, and it needed time and a flux to make the component parts unite.

CHARLES G. STONE, *Secretary*.

Hartford, Conn., April 11, 1911.

DELAWARE SOCIETY.

Membership April 1, 1910	76
Deaths, resigned, and dropped	31
Membership March 31, 1911	45

The Delaware Society, on April 19, 1911, held its annual meeting and re-elected the officers of the preceding year. The business was followed by a dinner at which there were twenty members present. Earnest patriotic speeches were made, the speakers dwelling principally on the part taken by the Delaware line in the battles of the Revolution. It was decided to offer two prizes of $10.00 and $5.00 gold pieces for the best essays presented by pupils of the Wilmington High School, on the subject of "The Principles Fought for in the Revolutionary War." The President urged that the Society place suitable stone monuments to mark the position of our Delaware troops at the Battle of the Brandywine and a committee was appointed to investigate and report as to what could be done, at the next meeting. The question of a monument in memory of the 265 brave Delaware soldiers who fell in the Battle of Camden, S. C., August 16, 1780, in the short fight of one hour, was also discussed with the idea of securing State aid in its erection. If the brave DeKalb thought it was glorious to die, while leading such troops as the Delaware and Maryland soldiers, how proud and ready we should be to commemorate their bravery. Attention was called to the part that members of our Society had taken in securing a silver service for the battleship "Delaware," and in entertaining the officers and men; also that the Society had in addition given $100.00 from its treasury toward the purchase of the silver service. The membership of the Society has been greatly reduced by dropping all who failed to take an active interest and pay their dues, but we hope to bring many new members in during the coming year.

For many years the Society has labored to secure the publication of the Revolutionary muster rolls, which were found in the loft of the old court-house at Dover. This work has at last been accomplished, and the rolls are now in the printer's hands. The distribution of these heretofore inexcessible records will aid greatly in the increase of our membership.

GEORGE A. ELLIOTT, *President.*

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA SOCIETY.

Membership April 1, 1910		517
New members 21, transfers 3, reinstated 4	28	
Deaths 9, resignations 7, demitted 6, dropped 35	57	
Loss		29
Membership March 31, 1911		488

The above statistics of the District of Columbia Society show a decrease in membership which has come about through death, transfer, and the dropping of members for non-payment of dues. While the number lost is large the Society has gained, in that every one of the 488 members is an active worker, having a deep interest in the welfare of the Society and being ready at a moment's notice to assume any duty assigned to him. In other words, the District Society has no dead timber among its members.

The Society year commences with November and ends with an outing in May, which last year took the form of an excursion to Annapolis.

The members have been fortunate in securing the following able speakers at their regular meetings: Claude N. Bennett, Esq., Prof. Charles E. Munroe, Hon. Lee McClung, Hon. William A. Marble, Hon. J. W. Collier, and W. E. Safford.

The Society is still in a very prosperous condition and is financially sound, with a permanent building fund amounting to $4,003.49, and feels that it has accomplished a great deal in the work of its past President, Rear Admiral George W. Baird, U. S. N., who was instrumental in securing legislation for the John Paul Jones Crypt at Annapolis, which was reported on as follows by the Secretary General of the Society in the OFFICIAL BULLETIN for March, 1911:

"The John Paul Jones Crypt at Annapolis has at last been authorized and its construction provided for by the Naval Appropriation Act, passed by Congress and approved by the President on March 4, 1911. President General Marble and Rear Admiral Baird, of the District of Columbia Society, have persistently called attention to this needed legislation, and the State Societies have effectually co-operated toward accomplishing the proper burial of the remains of Admiral John Paul Jones, discovered in Paris after a long search at the personal expense of Gen. Horace Porter, former President General of the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution."

PAUL BROCKETT, *Secretary.*

FLORIDA SOCIETY.

Membership April 1, 1910		35
New members	4	
Deaths 3, dropped 1	4	
Membership March 31, 1911		35

HAWAIIAN SOCIETY.

Membership April 1, 1910	98
New members 3.	
Gain	3
Membership March 31, 1911	101

IDAHO SOCIETY.

Membership April 1, 1910	24
New members	7
Demitted 1, dropped 1	2
Gain	5
Membership March 31, 1911	29

The Idaho Societies of "Sons" and "Daughters" united in the observance of Forefathers' Day on December 21 by holding a banquet at the Owyhee Hotel, Boise, which was attended by about fifty members and guests. Col. M. W. Wood, President of the Society, presided as toastmaster. The program of the evening was as follows:

"The Citizenship of Idaho," Governor James H. Brady; "The Manners and Customs of Our Forefathers," Mrs. Charles W. Purcell, State Regent of Idaho, D. A. R.; "The Religion of Our Forefathers," Rev. W. S. Hawkes; "Our Appreciation of Our Forefathers," John H. Upton; "The Personnel of the Signers of the Mayflower Compact," Mrs. H. L. Chamberlain; "The Laws of Our Forefathers," Harry Keyser; "The Morals of Our Forefathers," Hon. J. T. Morrison; "The Privations of Our Forefathers," Will H. Gibson; "The Finances of Our Forefathers," C. A. Hastings.

The annual business meeting was held on February 22.

ILLINOIS SOCIETY.

Membership April 1, 1910	576
New members 89, transferred 5, reinstated 3	97
Deaths 11, resignations 4, demitted 4, dropped 28	47
Gain	50
Membership March 31, 1911	626

The Illinois Society enrolled 89 new members during the year ended March 31, 1911, a larger number than for any similar period in its history, making its active membership 626. On May 27, 1910, the Society listened to an address by Prof. C. E. Merriam, of the University of Chicago, upon "Municipal Expenditures." At the latter meeting the twelve delegates from Illinois to the National Congress at Toledo made brief reports, and action was taken indorsing the proposition for a branch office in Chicago of the Information Bureau pertaining to immigrants.

Several new and valuable volumes have recently been purchased for the library. The Society participated in the notable Chicago Sane Fourth of July celebration. The Recruiting Committee has compiled and published a list of several hundred men eligible for membership, and systematic efforts to interest them are now being made.

On September 16 the Board of Managers, 21 members being present,

were entertained at supper at the River Forest Country Club by Secretary Bowman and his wife. There were patriotic addresses and music, and the guest of honor, Mr. Revere Lincoln, great-grandson of Paul Revere, made a few pleasing remarks.

The Oak Park Chapter arranged for a number of its members to deliver addresses in the public schools upon national peace day. The Annual Yorktown Day Banquet was held October 19, with President General Marble as the guest of honor.

The annual meeting was held in Chicago on December 3, the anniversy of the admission of Illinois into the Union. An illustrated address upon "The Illinois National Guard" was given by Capt. O. D. Steele.

The January meeting was one of the largest the Society has held. It was at the Auditorium Hotel, Chicago, and addresses were given upon "The Education of the Immigrant in American Citizenship," by Miss Grace Abbott, Superintendent of the Immigrants' Protective League, and upon the "Responsibility and Opportunity of Chicago Citizens in Relation to Immigrants," by E. A. Halsey, ex-city comptroller of Chicago. The addresses were given wide newspaper publicity.

The Society arranged for a celebration of Washington's Birthday by a popular meeting in Association Auditorium, in which other patriotic societies joined. A new local Chapter has been organized at River Forest, Ill.

The Oak Park Chapter held its annual banquet on February 20, with Rev. Dr. John Timothy Stone, Chaplain General of the National Society, as the guest of honor. He gave an impressive address upon the character of Washington under the caption "An Example in Statesmanship." Two interesting addresses by members of the Chapter were given as follows: "Washington's Christmas Visit to Trenton," by Col. H. R. Brinkerhoff, U. S. A., and "The Discouragements of Washington," by F. C. Caldwell, Esq. Owing to the emphasis placed upon the display of the flag on national holidays by this Chapter, more flags were in evidence in Oak Park than ever before in its history. All the committees of the State Society have taken up their year's work with enthusiasm and the outlook is in every way bright.

The Springfield Chapter of Illinois observed Lincoln's Birthday Anniversary on February 12 by holding joint services with the Daughters of the American Revolution in the Second Presbyterian Church, where an address was delivered by Col. Charles F. Wells, President of the Springfield Chapter, and by Rev. Adelbert P. Higley, Chaplain of the Chapter. All the patriotic organizations of the city were represented.

INDIANA SOCIETY.

Membership April 1, 1910		220
New members	18	
Deaths 3, resignations 3, demitted 1, dropped 6.	13	
Gain		5
Membership March 31, 1911		225

The Indiana Society issued during the year an eight-page recruiting circular of directions for tracing ancestry, with references to sources of information for Revolutionary service in the various Colonies. A membership committee, with ex-President George Oscar Dix, of Terre Haute, as chairman, consists of twenty-six compatriots, scattered in twenty-three Indiana cities and towns.

The annual banquet was held at Indianapolis on February 25 to commemorate the capture of Fort Sackville, Vincennes, by Gen. George Rogers Clark.

Addresses were delivered by President General Marble, responding to the toast, "The War of the Revolution"; Col. Henry A. Greene, U. S. Army, on "The Wars to Come"; Charles W. Moores, on "Lincoln"; Merrill Moores, on "Patriotic Societies," and President Horace C. Starr, who outlined the policy of the Indiana Society during the ensuing year.

IOWA SOCIETY.

Membership April 1, 1910	265
New members 32, transferred 2	34
Deaths 4, resignations 3	7
Gain	27
Membership March 31, 1911	292

In order to arouse greater interest in the study of the history of the United States, the Society in 1907 authorized the bestowing of a bronze medal upon the student of several colleges in Iowa who should during the year do the best work in the study of the history of the United States. This proposition was made to twenty colleges in the State. As a result twelve medals were bestowed on students of as many colleges at commencement time in 1908. In 1909, sixteen medals were awarded to college students and six to students in high schools, the high-school medals being gifts of individual members of the Society. At commencement season of 1910, fifteen medals were awarded to college students and an equal number (of special design) to pupils in high schools. In Des Moines the three high schools each embraced the plan of competing for the history medals. These medals have no intrinsic value to appeal to the student, yet are sought with eagerness and highly prized by the winners, and the testimony of educators is that these competitions are exerting a wholesome, stimulating influence in the schools and producing the result desired in stimulating patriotic thought among the student-body of our people.

At the annual meeting, on April 19, 1911, it was decided to continue the offering of the history medals to colleges and high schools, and to have more frequent meetings of the Board of Managers. It was recommended that local Chapters be encouraged to hold special meetings, at which the State Secretary should be present, or other State officers. A further contribution of $50 was voted to the Permanent Fund of the National Society. The business meeting was followed by a banquet at the Chamberlain Hotel, at which Gov. Warren Garst and Hon. John Denison spoke eloquently, and the College Glee Club from the Iowa Agricultural College, of Ames, rendered "The Midnight Ride of Paul Revere" in oratorio form in fine style. The meeting and banquet and all formed an epoch in the history of the Society.

KANSAS SOCIETY.

Membership April 1, 1910	60
New members	5
Loss	5
Membership March 31, 1911	65

The Kansas Society has established an annual cash prize of a five-dollar gold piece to the history class of Bethany College for the best essay on the cause of the American Revolution. The presentation for 1910 was made on June 6 by J. M. Meade, President of the Society, to Miss Dorothy Wood.

KENTUCKY SOCIETY.

Membership April 1, 1910		84
New members 36, reinstated 5	41	
Gain		41
Membership March 31, 1911		125

The Kentucky Society showed a marked growth in membership during the year and increased interest in the patriotic work of the Sons of the American Revolution. On June 17 a "smoker" and business meeting was held at the residence of President George Lewis Danforth, and on July 4 a patriotic meeting was held at the residence of Compatriot James F. Buckner, at Pewee Valley, near Louisville.

The Society celebrated its twenty-second anniversary on October 19 at the residence of Mr. Samuel Thruston Ballard.

LOUISIANA SOCIETY.

Members April 1, 1910		90
New members	4	
Deaths 4, resigned 4, dropped 10	18	
Loss		14
Membership March 31, 1911		76

There has been a net loss in membership during the year, the Society having lost by death four, two of whom—Charles Patton Dimitry and Allan A. Brinsmade—were charter members; four resignations, and dropped ten. We, on this showing, begin the official year with 76 names on our active roll. I may say in this connection, in justice to the esprit de corps of our members, that we are not at all discouraged by this reduction in our ranks, and we hope to recruit a new member in the early future for every old member we have been with great reluctance forced to suspend since last report.

As to patriotic work, we are ever faithful to the memory of the father of our country, so commemorated his birthday this year in a manner proverbial with the Louisiana Society. By a happy coincident and conjunction, we had in port for the Mardi Gras festivities a squadron of United States warships, and also a like number of our sister Republic of France, which was at the climax of the Revolution our friend, in deed. The ships of our country's navy were under the command of Rear Admiral Stanton; that of France, Admiral De Lajarte. Both admirals were invited to our reunion and banquet; but, having arrived only on the morning and evening of the 22d of February, manifold duties aboard ship compelled them to offer by letter their excuses, couched in most patriotic language and sentiment of appreciation for the cordial invitation extended to them to be the guests of the Louisiana Society on the occasion. It may be of interest to mention that our souvenirs of the dinner this year were a silk American flag 12 x 18, a stick-pin flag with a portrait of Washington on it, and a song-book containing the patriotic songs played by a string band in attendance and sung by the Society. At the table this book was tied with the colors of the National Society—blue, buff, and white.

The ceremony of decorating the graves of the three Revolutionary soldiers buried in the old St. Louis Cemetery was religously observed on All Saints' Day. The Society placed the decoration of the graves in the hands of a regular florist, and by the free and artistic use of

ferns, flags, and flowers the effect was beautiful and impressive and worthy of the heroes who once stood shoulder to shoulder in defense of right against oppression, of liberty against tyranny.

At our last meeting a committee was provided for to confer with the superintendent of our schools, to devise a plan for the competition between the students under his administration for a S. A. R. medal, to be offered by the Louisiana Society for the best essay on some historical subject. I hope in my next annual report to give details of "something doing," and to record a success of this new undertaking.

Nothing would give me more pleasure than to be with you on the occasion of the near National Congress in Louisville, Ky., April 30 to May 3, 1911; but, as I cannot see my way to go, I have only to wish you a pleasant and satisfactory sitting.

THOMAS DABNEY DIMITRY, *Secretary.*

MAINE SOCIETY.

Membership April 1, 1910	367
New members	22
Deaths 7, resigned 2, dropped 5	14
Gain	8
Membership March 31, 1911	375

The Maine Society is aiding in the erection of a memorial at Oldtown, telling of the patriotic deeds of the Penobscot Indians during the War of the Revolution. Mr. Nathan Goold, the Historian of the Society, has gathered much interesting information concerning the participation of the Penobscots in that war, and has published much of it in local papers and elsewhere.

The principal event of the year was the twentieth annual business meeting and banquet at Riverton on February 22. It was one of the largest meetings in the history of the Society. The principal address was by Prof. Henry S. Nash, D. D., of Cambridge, Mass., on "The Birth of the New Democracy." He said that he was a hardened optimist, and he saw the dawning of a new day. Some of the signs of this great change for the better are the steps taken for the redemption of boys, the playground movement, and the splendid reforms in city government, which began in Galveston after the flood disaster there. The retiring President of the Society, Hon. Melvin P. Frank, told of the work being done by the Sons of the American Revolution, particularly in the marking of the graves of soldiers and sailors of that War.

MARYLAND SOCIETY.

Membership April 1, 1910	261
New members 15, transfers 3	18
Deaths 3, resigned 1, demitted 1, dropped 5	10
Gain	8
Membership March 31, 1911	269

The Maryland Society held its annual meeting at Baltimore on October 19, 1910; and on February 22, 1911, there was a gathering at the Hotel Belvedere, when an address was delivered by Mr. W. O. Atwood, City Surveyor of Baltimore. He took for his subject the moral character of General Washington, and the effect he had upon the early civil life of this country. Col. W. F. Vernon spoke on the military character

and genius of General Washington. A. S. Goldsborough, Secretary to the Mayor of Baltimore, dwelt on the character of George Washington as an example of good citizenship. The speakers were all members of the Maryland Society, and their addresses were received with the greatest interest. Historian Bibbins announced that the monument recently erected by the Society at Old Wye to the memory of William Paca, Signer of the Declaration of Independence and first Governor of Maryland, was ready to be unveiled, and that he had arranged to charter a steamer to go to Old Wye on May 13, 1911, if the weather was fine.

[The details of the dedication are given in the OFFICIAL BULLETIN for May, 1911.]

MASSACHUSETTS SOCIETY.

Membership April 1, 1910		1,643
New members 80, transfers 6, reinstated 5	91	
Deaths 39, resigned 26, demitted 6, dropped 28	99	
Loss		8
Membership March 31, 1911		1,635

Our loss is nominal, because before closing our year we admitted 22 new members, thus showing a gain of 14.

The Massachusetts Society has held three meetings, and the Board of Managers ten, during the year.

Since last spring we have placed 102 markers at graves of Revolutionary soldiers and patriots who were buried in the old cemeteries in Dorchester and Roxbury. The late Henry A. May had made a research of records, which enabled him to identify the war services of 116 additional burials in the old Boston cemeteries, and these we propose to mark this year.

We have contributed towards the erection of a memorial flagstaff, which the Daughters of the American Revolution in Cambridge propose to place in that city. It is most appropriate that the memorial should take this form, as the first flag of the United Colonies—the stripes with the cross of St. Andrew and St. George in the field—was here first displayed when the Continental Army was organized, January 1, 1776.

We have placed a handsome bronze tablet on the Essex-street side of Hotel Essex, marking approximately the site of the birthplace of Major General Henry Knox. We have published and distributed to our members, free of cost to them, the eighth volume, or "Register," of our Society.

We have successfully opposed changing the name of historic Court Street in Boston to a continuation of State Street, which forms a part of the latter street, but no sufficiently good excuse for changing the name has been given.

The Chapters of our Society in Boston, Chelsea, Lowell, Lynn, Malden, and Springfield hold regular meetings, which are usually well attended.

Our annual meeting April 19, 1911, was attended by more than 200 members. We were honored by the presence of Historian General Pierson, who spoke most interestingly at both places, the Old South Meeting House and the American House.

HERBERT W. KIMBALL, *Secretary.*

MICHIGAN SOCIETY.

Membership April 1, 1910	367
New members 23, transfer 1, reinstated 1	25
Deaths 8, resigned 2, demitted 2, dropped 1	13
Gain	12
Membership March 31, 1911	379

The Michigan Society was organized January 18, 1890, at Detroit. Its most rapid growth occurred during the first ten years, within which period the country labored under the excitement of the Spanish War, and latent patriotism came to the surface. Large numbers of our best citizens at this time joined the Society, which acquired a high standing from the general character of the membership. The Society appeared publicly and was identified with movements of a public and patriotic character, such as celebrations of holidays, dedication of public buildings, memorial and historical tablets, and various similar matters. Later, under the influence of more peaceful times, the activities of the Society subsided until it assumed the position of a mere social organization, serving the taste of its members by an occasional function. Such inactivity was not conducive to growth.

When the late Dr. Rufus W. Clark became President of the Society, he originated the idea of social meetings, where discussion was had of historical papers. Programs were mapped out, and for the past five years this course has been pursued to the pleasure and profit of those participating, but it must be confessed without much public attention or benefit. These so-called "Historical Meetings" have not been supported by more than a fraction of the membership, and by reason of the fact that three-fourths of the members live in Detroit, the meetings have always been held in that city. But they have served to keep the Society active, and there has been but a small loss in membership except for natural causes. Interest has been maintained and increased, so that a large number of comparatively young men have joined the Society. Death has, however, made its inroads among the older and more prominent men who originally formed and maintained the organization. But the great body of members have remained loyal, though comparatively inactive in the proceedings.

The lapse of twenty years has been sufficient to warrant a few observations from one who has kept account of occurrences. Founded as it is upon the achievements of the past, it is improbable that the Society will ever become a popular or democratic organization. Its original aristocratic tendencies will doubtless always survive to some degree, though less marked than formerly, and less than in some of the other patriotic societies based on ancestry of members. And such tendencies should not hamper the usefulness of the Society in view of the broad, unselfish principles declared in its articles of organization. Its activities, however, must be varied and broadened in order to maintain its high standing publicly, and to keep up the interest of present and prospective members. Its aims must be adjusted to present conditions, for the bond of Revolutionary descent among its members is not strong enough to give the Society force, unless combined with other things that shall make it really useful and furnish a field for the activities of broad-minded and patriotic citizens.

The suggestion must be made that, locally, it would be better for the Society to turn its active attention to matters of present-day importance than to dwell entirely on past history and achievements. Not forgetting what our Revolutionary sires did, but in emulation of their patriotic and

unselfish actions, we should try to do something for better government, better citizenship, and a more unselfish treatment of public questions. There is always some local matter that needs the discussion and support of broad-minded men, and, acting judiciously, the Society can exert a great force in some of these matters without incurring criticism as a public meddler or "butter-in."

WILLIAMS C. HARRIS, *Secretary.*

MINNESOTA SOCIETY.

The Minnesota Society enrolled 16 new members during the year, making its total present membership 533, of whom 278 are reported in good standing and 255 delinquent in dues.

On Flag Day, June 14, 1910, the Society installed a 50-foot flagpole at the old Sibley House, Mendota, and presented the pole to the Daughters of the American Revolution.

The annual banquet was held on June 18, at the Town and Country Club. The principal speaker was Rev. W. R. Harshaw.

The Society lost six members by death, including its former President, Francis Marion Crosby.

MISSISSIPPI SOCIETY.

Membership April 1, 1910	18
New members	7
Membership March 31, 1911	25

MISSOURI SOCIETY.

Membership April 1, 1910	105
New members 2, resigned 1, demitted 1.	
Membership March 31, 1911	105

MONTANA SOCIETY.

Membership April 1, 1910	28
New member	1
Membership March 31, 1911	29

NEBRASKA SOCIETY.

Membership April 1, 1910	116
New members 6, transferred 1	7
Death	1
Gain	6
Membership March 31, 1911	122

The Nebraska Society has organized the Ethan Allen Chapter at Omaha, and it is proposed to establish Chapters at Lincoln and Fremont during the next year.

The Board of Managers is preparing for an active campaign in 1911, looking to the increase of membership of the Society, beginning with the distribution of a news letter to all the newspapers of the State, and thereby giving publicity to the scope and intentions of the Society and all necessary information to those eligible.

EDWIN O. HALSTEAD, *Secretary.*

NEVADA SOCIETY.

Membership April 1, 1910	18
New members	4
Membership March 31, 1911	22

NEW HAMPSHIRE SOCIETY.

Membership April 1, 1910	281
New members	13
Deaths 6, resigned 5, dropped 8, demitted 1	20
Loss	7
Membership March 31, 1911	274

The Society held its annual meeting for 1910 on July 12, when there was delivered an address by William Elliot Griffis, D. D., L. H. D., on "The New Hampshire Brigade in the Sullivan Campaign of 1779," which has been published by the Society. Doctor Griffis reviewed the deeds of the three New Hampshire regiments that formed a part of Sullivan's army in "the great march through the western wilderness, which virtually destroyed the Iroquois Confederacy, opening the path of civilization westward, and, by putting an end to the flank and rear attacks by savages on our settlements along the long frontier, made Yorktown possible." It was the battle at Newtown, New York, on August 29, 1779, that paralyzed the Indian Confederacy, so that it never was again a powerful factor in international politics and war. Doctor Griffis concluded his address by calling upon the people of New Hampshire "to rear on the Newtown battlefield some durable token of their appreciation of the services of these brave Continentals, who bore themselves so nobly in one of the most decisive battles of the American Revolution."

The annual meeting for 1911 was held on April 20, when officers were elected for the year.

NEW JERSEY SOCIETY.

Membership April 1, 1910	558
New members 47, transferred 1, reinstated 4	52
Deaths 17, resigned 8, demitted 3, dropped 1	29
Gain	23
Membership March 31, 1911	581

The aim of the New Jersey Society during the past year has been to bring before the public the objects of the Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, to increase the spirit of patriotism in our State, to arouse the interest of those eligible for membership, and the enlightenment of foreigners as to American principles.

The first event was the celebration of the Anniversary of the Battle of Springfield, N. J., on June 23, 1910, at the Revolutionary Cemetery in Springfield, conveyed to the New Jersey Society some years ago. The public school children of Springfield took part in the exercises, and raised the flag on the newly-erected flagstaff. The oration delivered by Rev. William M. Lawrence on this occasion was most eloquent. Arrangements have been made for the proper care of the plot and the dis-

play of the Stars and Stripes on holidays and prominent anniversaries in our national history.

Early in the fall our Year Book for 1910 was completed and distributed. Among the most interesting items in the book are a roll of the members with their genealogical record, information regarding the monuments and tablets erected in recent years, either by our Society or through the efforts of our members, a chronological list of the battles and other events of the Revolution, and a report made by our Historian on the Signers of the Declaration of Independence from New Jersey, with illustrations. This report was made in accordance with the recommendation offered by the Memorial Committee at the Toledo Congress.

On October 18, 1910, on invitation of the Society of Colonial Wars in New Jersey, our Society took part with other patriotic societies in the celebration of the 250th Anniversary of the First White Settlement in New Jersey.

An illustrated lecture was given under the auspices of the Society on November 18, 1910, by William Elliot Griffis, D. D., L. H. D., on "Sullivan's Expedition against the Indians, A. D. 1779," which was well attended.

Considerable interest was evinced by both the State Society and the Chapters in the matter of the John Paul Jones crypt, and we did our part in the effort made by the S. A. R. Societies to secure the appropriation by Congress for this purpose, by memorializing the Senators and members of Congress from New Jersey.

At the annual meeting, held January 3, 1911, the anniversary of the Battle of Princeton, President General Marble addressed the Society, and the reports of the officers showed activity and progress. The increase in membership, while not as large as the previous year, was very encouraging. As a result of the investigation made by the Historian, already referred to in connection with the Year Book, it was found that the graves of two of the Signers of the Declaration of Independence from New Jersey, namely, Richard Stockton and Francis Hopkinson, were unmarked, and at this meeting our Committee on Monuments and Memorials was requested to take action looking to the marking of the graves of these Signers.

Much interest has been taken in the work among our foreign population. About 1,500 copies of the leaflet No. 1, "The United States, Its Opportunities, Government and Institutions," have been given out for distribution. One of our members, Rev. M. S. Waters, told at this meeting of his work among these people in the night schools of the City of Newark. The Board of Managers are now considering the publication of a book for the education of foreigners in American history and principles.

On February 25, 1911, a banquet was given at Newark in memory of the birth of General George Washington, with an attendance of about one hundred and fifty members and friends. Stirring and patriotic addresses were delivered by Rev. B. Canfield Jones, D. D., on "Washington and Lincoln as Guides for Today," and Rev. Dr. William F. Whitaker, on "Washington's Worth." The addition of a number of new members was one of the results of this most enjoyable gathering.

An illustrated lecture by Franklin Matthews, correspondent of the New York *Sun*, on "Around the World with the Atlantic Fleet," was given under the auspices of the Society on March 15, 1911, and a large audience thoroughly enjoyed the lecture.

Our Chapters have also been active, and the more prominent features of their work may be summarized as follows:

Elizabethtown Chapter has been working for the marking of all historical roads and points of interest in Union County, and is planning further work along these lines. They are also working for an increase in membership.

Orange Chapter observed the anniversary of the Battle of Lexington, April 19, 1910, by a religious service, and Flag Day, June 14, 1910, with exercises and an address by Rev. Ferdinand Q. Blanchard. The Chapter also took part in the parade at Orange on Independence Day, 1910. At the regular meetings of the Chapter various speakers presented patriotic themes of both the past and present.

Montclair Chapter has held a number of meetings, among which was a memorial service in April, 1910, the celebration of Independence Day, and the annual meeting of the Chapter on January 10, 1911, all of which were of a highly patriotic order. The especial work of the Chapter has been "a campaign of enlightenment along patriotic lines" among the foreign population of Montclair. A large quantity of the leaflets on "Information for Immigrants" has been distributed, and illustrated lectures on helpful subjects have been given.

JOHN R. WEEKS, *Secretary.*

NEW MEXICO SOCIETY.

Membership April 1, 1910	39
New members 6, transfer 1	7
Gain	7
Membership March 31, 1911	46

The New Mexico Society is adding to its membership, and I believe that the present year will show an increase of at least fifteen members. The Society has an important duty before it in the Territory of New Mexico this year. It is our hope that the constitution recently ratified by a very large popular majority will be approved by Congress at its present session, and that New Mexico will be admitted as a State into the Union. A national engagement was made at the time this domain was acquired from the Republic of Mexico that a State to be known as "New Mexico" should be admitted into the Union at the earliest practicable day. The fulfillment of this pledge was repeatedly deferred until the enactment of the enabling statute of Congress providing for the drafting of constitutions by the Territories of New Mexico and Arizona in June, 1910. We anticipate a very large influx of population to this Territory as soon as the President issues a proclamation declaring that the proposed constitution has been approved; and it is reasonable to predict that a considerable per cent of the new population will be immigrants from foreign countries. The principles of public liberty as regulated by law must be taught to these people. The Society is called upon to make a special effort to the accomplishment of this end. Our native people here are well instructed in the essential principles of free government. This is especially noticeable by repeated manifestations of their interest in public affairs. As citizens, jurors and members of civil society they have demonstrated their attachment to free institutions, and are guided by that circumspection essential to their preservation. The school houses of this Territory all exhibit the splendid decoration expressed by the Stars and Stripes. The New Mexico Society will appreciate suggestions from the National Society which tend to promote patriotism among our people and which will uplift the standard of our citizenship.

GEORGE S. KLOCK, *President.*

Albuquerque, April 19, 1911.

(NEW YORK.)

EMPIRE STATE SOCIETY.

Membership April 1, 1910	1,351
New members 103, transfers 8, reinstated 8	119
Death 30, resigned 33, demitted 12, dropped 28	102
Gain	17
Membership March 31, 1911	1,368

Of the total membership 1,338 are active, 25 inactive, and 5 honorary.

Necessarily the report of the Secretary of a Society of this kind will be of the same general character each year, the only difference being in the figures and some minor points.

We have held during the past year our three stated meetings, and the usual number of those of the Board of Managers.

The annual election of officers took place April 19, 1910, at which time Mr. John H. Burroughs was chosen President in place of Hon. C. A. Pugsley; Mr. Louis Annin Ames, first Vice-President in place of Mr. Richard T. Davies, and Capt. Chas. A. Du Bois, Secretary in place of Mr. Ames. Mr. Cresswell Maclaughlin addressed the compatriots upon the duties of citizenship, especially in their relation to the Sons of the American Revolution.

The twenty-first Annual Congress of the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution was held at Toledo, Ohio, on April 30, May 2 and 3, 1910, at which we had twenty delegates. Our former President, Mr. William A. Marble, was elected President General, and our President, Mr. Burroughs, Treasurer General.

The usual Year Book of the Society was published and a copy mailed to each member.

During the year our President has visited a number of the Chapters throughout the State, and this has tended to increase the interest among the out-of-town members; he proposes to visit other Chapters during the coming year.

At the meeting held October 18, 1910, Mr. William E. Pulsifer read a very interesting paper on Daniel Webster.

On June 14, 1910, our President, with several of the compatriots, attended the ceremonies of the unveiling of the monument marking the birthplace of the State of New York at White Plains, N. Y.

A committee of our compatriots was appointed by the Mayor of the City of New York to attend the celebration of a "Sane and Safe Fourth of July," composed of William A. Marble, Hon. C. A. Pugsley, John H. Burroughs, Louis Annin Ames, James de la Montanye, John De W. Mowris and others.

On the Fourth of July the ceremony of decorating the grave of Lafayette took place in Paris, France. Compatriot Hanson C. Coxe was in charge and made the address; Compatriot William E. Marble also made a few remarks. It is proposed that similar ceremonies shall take place each year, and those compatriots that can so arrange their visit to Paris are requested to report to Compatriot Coxe at the U. S. Embassy and take part.

Our annual banquet, which took place at the Waldorf-Astoria on the evening of the 19th of November, was the most successful of any yet held.

During the past year we have assisted the Huntington Chapter in marking the graves of Revolutionary soldiers located in that vicinity.

Our annual church service was held on February 19, at the Calvary

Methodist Episcopal Church, the sermon being preached by its Pastor and our Chaplain, Dr. Charles L. Goodell.

At the meeting of the Society held at the Hotel Astor on February 21, 1911, Compatriot Norman P. Heffley gave us his illustrated lecture, "Siberia, Russia, and the Islands of the Arctic," which was received with much enthusiasm by the compatriots and their friends.

At the request of the Newburgh Chapter the Society has presented to the "Broadway Grammar School," of Newburgh, a plaster bust of Washington. At the ceremony of presentation President Burroughs made the speech. We have also presented portraits of Washington to the Public School of Long Lake, N. Y.; High School at Johnstown, N. Y.; High School at Canisto, N. Y.; Lenox Ave. Collegiate Church, New York City, and the Silver Bay Association, Lake George, N. Y.

The protest against the use of the sites of Forts Clinton and Montgomery being used as a site for a State Prison, made by this Society and others, I am pleased to say, was effectual, and the prison will be built elsewhere.

Respectfully submitted,

CHAS. A. DU BOIS, *Secretary.*

NORTH CAROLINA SOCIETY.

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The North Carolina Society was organized at Washington, N. C., on the afternoon of February 22, 1911. There were present Dr. J. C. Rodman, L. D. Bonner, R. T. Bonner, F. H. von Eberstein, Lyndon Y. Shaw, Frank C. Kugler, W. B. Harding, Dr. John G. Blount, Jr., John A. Weddell, Sr., E. W. Myers, R. L. M. Bonner, B. T. Bonner, Dr. H. M. Bonner, and Stephen C. Bragaw. Mr. Bragaw was made temporary Chairman and Mr. Shaw temporary Secretary. Mr. Bragaw explained the purposes of the meeting and the objects of the Society. A constitution and by-laws were read and adopted, and the following officers were elected: President, Hon. Stephen C. Bragaw, Washington; Vice-President, Mr. John A. Weddell, Tarboro; Secretary-Registrar, Mr. R. T. Bonner, Aurora; Treasurer, Dr. John C. Rodman, Washington; Historian, Mr. E. W. Myers, Greensboro; Chaplain, Dr. H. M. Bonner, Newbern.

The Society starts with thirty members, brought together through energetic work by Commander John H. Moore, U. S. N., chairman of the Organization Committee, South, and Mr. R. T. Bonner, of Aurora, N. C.

NORTH DAKOTA SOCIETY.

Membership March 31, 1911..... 23

The North Dakota Society was organized at the Gardner Hotel, Fargo, North Dakota, on Saturday evening, February 4, under the personal direction of Dr. Clarkson N. Guyer, chairman of Committee on Organization in North and West; Mr. Frank M. Keezer, secretary of the committee, and Mr. Joseph F. Tuttle, Jr., all of Denver, Colo.

The following officers were elected: President, Hon. Burleigh F. Spalding, Judge of the Supreme Court of North Dakota (address, Bismarck or Fargo); First Vice-President, Charles M. Cooley, of Grand Forks; Second Vice-President, J. L. Bell, of Bismarck; Secretary and Registrar, H. C. Fish, of Bismarck; Treasurer, Gen. A. P. Peake, of Valley City; Chaplain, R. A. Beard, D. D., of Fargo. After the business meeting was concluded the new Society members and the visitors enjoyed a banquet, which was given in the hotel. There were several

addresses made by the organizing officers as well as by nearly all the local members, and a pleasant evening was spent.

Sunday evening, at the First Congregational Church, Mr. Tuttle delivered a lecture on John Paul Jones, the first American Admiral. Sunday morning, in the First Presbyterian Church, at the opening of Sunday school, Doctor Guyer gave a talk on Sunday-school work and patriotism.

OHIO SOCIETY.

Membership April 1, 1910	473
New members 55, transfers 5	60
Deaths	5
Gain	55
Membership March 31, 1911	528

The Ohio Society showed increased activity during the year as a result of the holding of the Annual Congress of the National Society at Toledo. Much patriotic work is carried on through the Chapters at Youngstown, Toledo, Cleveland, and Columbus. The twenty-second annual meeting was held on April 10, 1911.

A committee was appointed to publish the names of all known soldiers of the Revolutionary War who are buried in Ohio. More than 1,200 are said to be buried in the State, and of this number the graves of 250 have been located by Henry R. Baldwin, of Youngstown, who worked under the direction of former President Butler. Mr. Butler is planning to purchase the ancestral home of the Washington family in England.

The Society has also decided to furnish a room in the birthplace of Rufus Putnam, at Rutland, Mass., now commemorated by a national park, with Ohio relics, taken from Putnam's later Ohio home. E. O. Randall, on behalf of the Ohio Archæological Society, promised that organization's support. Judge John N. Van Deman, of Dayton, President, acted as toastmaster at the twenty-second annual banquet at the Hartman Hotel, and President Butler delivered the address of welcome. Former Lieutenant Governor Francis W. Treadway was the speaker of the evening, his subject being "What the Revolution Means to Us."

The Anthony Wayne Chapter, of Toledo, has issued a pamphlet giving the names of officers, the constitution, reasons for membership, directions for looking up ancestry and for making out application papers, and a list of members of the Chapter.

OREGON SOCIETY.

The Oregon Society admitted 14 new members during the year, and its active membership on March 31, 1911, was 111. The annual business meeting and banquet was held at the University Club, Portland, on February 22, 1911. Mr. D. W. Wakefield was chosen Vice-President; the other officers were re-elected. President Wallace McCamant paid a tribute to the memory of George Washington, but he did not excuse Washington's faults.

The Society adopted a well-deserved tribute to the memory of Compatriot George H. Williams, who died April 10, 1910, aged 87 years and 11 days. Judge Williams joined the Oregon Society in 1893 and was its President from 1899 to 1905. His career as a jurist and statesman was a notable one. In 1853 he was appointed Chief Justice of Oregon Territory. From 1866 to 1872 he was a member of the United States Senate, and was Attorney General in President Grant's Cabinet (see OFFICIAL BULLETIN for March, 1911).

PENNSYLVANIA SOCIETY.

Membership April 1, 1910	573
New members 40, transfers 3	43
Deaths 6, resigned 2, demitted 5	13
Gain	30
Membership March 31, 1911	603

The Pennsylvania Society, with a view of arousing interest in its work, has inaugurated a series of informal gatherings of members and eligible guests. On May 25, 1910, there was a noonday luncheon at the Fort Pitt Hotel, Pittsburg, at which 49 members were present; June 29, a noonday luncheon on the roof garden of the Lincoln Hotel, at which 65 were present; October 19, an evening dinner at the Monongahela House, at which 52 were present, and on December 9 we had an evening dinner at the Monongahela House, at which 42 members were present. At each one of these meetings we had from three to six of our members make very interesting addresses, which were much appreciated by all present.

The annual business meeting, followed by a dinner, was held on February 22, when addresses were made by Rev. George D. Adams, of the Philadelphia Chapter, on "Washington, the Unknown Man," and by Gen. Willis J. Hulings, on "The American Revolution."

The Committee on Prevention of Desecration of the Flag was active during the year, as indicated by the following report:

The duties of this committee consist exclusively in seeing to the enforcement of the act of the Legislature *to prevent and punish the desecration of the Flag of the United States and of this State.*

As the existence of this law becomes better known it is the better observed. Any violations which do occur are usually just before the Fourth of July.

During the last year we had the following infractions brought to our attention:

First. There was an advertisement of a fireworks manufacturer, by a New York firm. The closing paragraph in their last letter says: "We thank you for calling our attention to this matter and assure you that no more of these circulars will be mailed or distributed in your State."

Second. There was a very objectionable cut which appeared in our daily papers. When the matter was brought to the attention of the local firm they replied that it was New York syndicate stuff, and that it would not be used again. They also thanked us for calling their attention to this matter.

Third. The next violation was that of a local firm, which advertised union suits in a circular from which was a rather conspicuous American Flag. They again closed their letter by thanking us for our kindness.

These expressions are repeated when they occur, that all might see in general the respect for the law, its violation being caused by ignorance or thoughtlessness.

The Butler fair advertised by little stick-pins, with a celluloid flag, on the reverse side of which was an "advertisement" of the fair. In my correspondence with the secretary of the Fair Association appears the following paragraph:

"I have always thought it improper to print anything on our National emblem, and heartily approve of legislation to prevent its desecration. However, I do not believe the pin in question violates either the letter or spirit of the law, but am willing to submit the question to a committee of fair-minded, impartial, patriotic citizens, and consider the Flag Committee of the Sons of the American Revolution such. Am

willing that you consider the matter, and if you come to the conclusion that this pin desecrates the American Flag and violates the law, I will stop the distribution of the pin."

As the time for the fair had arrived when this letter was received, I did not press the matter, but told him that I did not think his point well taken, and advised him not to use the pin further.

This same pin was distributed during the visit of Roosevelt last fall, but was the advertisement of a foreign firm and nothing could be done about the matter.

There have been no formal meetings of the committee during the year. As most of the work of this committee must be done by the chairman, I would recommend that for the next year the chairman be from Philadelphia, as there must certainly be some violations of the law in so large a city, and no matters have been brought to our attention from that part of the State.

RHODE ISLAND SOCIETY.

Membership April 1, 1910	324
New members	10
Deaths 12, dropped 1	13
Loss	3
Membership March 31, 1911	321

The Rhode Island Society on May 30 held its customary Memorial Day exercises at Hopkins Park, Providence, when large numbers of Italian school children and their parents paid honor to Commodore Esek Hopkins. President Frederic W. Easton, of the Rhode Island Society, presided and made the introductory address. The Declaration of Independence was read by Compatriot Amasa M. Eaton, "Song for Memorial Day" was rendered by the school pupils, and an address on the day was given by Mr. Rathbone Gardner. The pupils of the fifth grade gave the declamation, "Captain, O My Captain," in concert, after which a wreath was placed on the Hopkins statue. Prof. Alessandro G. Laurenzio followed with an address in Italian on "The Duty of Italians to Their Adopted Country."

The Society's annual business session was held at noon on February 22, 1911, in the rooms of the Rhode Island Historical Society, Providence. President Frederic W. Easton presided. The Secretary reported a present membership of 321. On motion of former Governor Charles Warren Lippitt, the Society voted to appropriate $100 for the General Greene Memorial Association. Hon. Charles Dean Kimball, former Governor of Rhode Island, was elected President of the Society for the ensuing year, and Mr. Joseph Balch Vice-President. The other officers were re-elected.

The annual banquet was held at Talma Theater during the evening. Among the guests were the Varnum Continentals, of East Greenwich, in blue and white uniforms, as worn by the Rhode Island Line in the Revolution. The order of exercises included an introductory address by Hon. Frederic Willard Easton, President of the Society; toast, "The State of Rhode Island," Hon. Zenas W. Bliss, Lieutenant Governor; toast, "The City of Providence," Hon. Henry Fletcher, mayor; historical address, "The Perfidy of Lee," Col. Robert Perkins Brown, Historian of the Society; address, Rev. William H. P. Faunce, President of Brown University; poem, John Prescott Farnsworth, Esq., Poet of the Society; address, Hon. Le Baron Bradford Colt, Judge of the United States Circuit Court; address, John R. Rathom, Esq., Providence *Journal;* address, "Our Own Dear Land," Prof. Wilfred Harold Munro.

SOUTH CAROLINA SOCIETY.

Membership March 31, 1911..... 18

The South Carolina Society was organized on March 22, at Greenville, with nineteen qualified members, and several applicants were preparing their final papers for admission. Commander John H. Moore, U. S. N., chairman of the Committee on Organization in the South, was present and urged them to put forward every effort to build up a strong Society in South Carolina from the descendants of patriots who fought at Kings Mountain and on other historic battlefields of the southern campaign during the Revolution. The following officers were elected: President, Paul Trapier Hayne, of Greenville; Vice-President, Oscar K. Mauldin, of Greenville; Secretary, David Arnold Henning, of Greenville, and Registrar, John E. Black, of Columbia.

SOUTH DAKOTA SOCIETY.

Membership March 31, 1911..... 16

The South Dakota Society was permanently organized at Sioux Falls March 27 with the following officers: R. J. Wells, President; F. M. Mills, Vice-President; T. W. Dwight, Secretary and Registrar; B. H. Requa, Treasurer; Lucius Kingsbury, Chaplain, and C. O. Bailey, Historian. A preliminary meeting for organization had been held on January 31, under the direction of the Committee on Organization in the North and West.

TEXAS SOCIETY.

Membership April 1, 1910.....	71
New members	3
Membership March 31, 1911.....	74

The annual meeting, held at Houston, Texas, on Washington's Birthday, Wednesday, February 22, 1911, was fairly well attended, and at this meeting it was unanimously agreed that the best interest and future growth of the Texas Society demanded that the place of holding the annual meeting should change from year to year, being held each year in a different city; and it was also agreed that the three principal officers should be elected from the members residing in the place of next meeting. Thereupon Austin was selected as such place, and the President, Secretary, and Treasurer were elected from Austin.

The business meeting was held from 10 a. m. to noon, and in the afternoon the Lady Washington Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, gave a reception to the Texas Society at the Country Club.

The annual dinner was held at the Rice Hotel, at which the officers of the Lady Washington Chapter, D. A. R., were the honored guests of the Texas Society, and after the dinner the Sons and Daughters attended a box party at the Majestic Theater.

It is believed that the general effect of our meeting this year was to awaken a great spirit of enthusiasm for the work of the coming year, and it is hoped that the system of shifting the place of meeting to a different city each year will greatly increase our membership within the next five years.

JOHN CHARLES HARRIS, *Secretary.*

UTAH SOCIETY.

Membership April 1, 1910	79
New members 7, transfer 1	8
Demitted 3, dropped 12	15
Loss	7
Membership March 31, 1911	72

Our work has been of a general nature. We have given the accustomed medal on Washington's Birthday to the high-school cadet delivering the best oration on a patriotic subject.

Our annual dinner was held at the University Club on February 28, and was a successful feature.

C. P. Overfield, *Secretary.*

VIRGINIA SOCIETY.

Membership April 1, 1910	67
New members	3
Deaths	2
Gain	1
Membership March 31, 1911	68

WASHINGTON SOCIETY.

Membership April 1, 1910	216
New members 8, transfer 1, reinstated 1	10
Deaths 4, dropped 17	21
Loss	11
Membership March 31, 1911	205

Last year the Washington Society reported that in all probability new Chapters would be formed within the year at North Yakima, Olympia and several other cities in the State. We beg to report that so far we have been unable to establish any new Chapters, although having worked on it during the past year. It now looks as if we will be able to accomplish something this year.

The State Society has admitted nine new members during the year, one of these being received upon demit from another State and eight upon original application. Four members have died and seventeen have been officially dropped from rolls for non-payment of dues. The majority of those eliminated from the rolls have moved out of the State.

The annual meeting and election was held at Tacoma on the afternoon of February 22.

WISCONSIN SOCIETY.

Membership April 1, 1910	187
New members	4
Membership March 31, 1911	191

WYOMING SOCIETY.

Membership April 1, 1910	33
New members	2
Dropped 2, demitted 1	3
Loss	1
Membership March 31, 1911	32

The Wyoming Society gave a banquet at the Inter-Ocean Hotel, Cheyenne, on March 19, when Gen. Irving Hale, Dr. Clarkson N. Guyer, Howard T. Vaille, and Dr. Joseph H. Tuttle, of Denver, were guests of the evening, two of these gentlemen having assisted in the organization of the Wyoming Society three years ago.

NATIONAL PEACE CONGRESS.

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: The Chair takes pleasure in recognizing ex-President General Greeley, who has a matter that he wishes to call to the attention of the Society.

General GREELEY: Mr. President General, as is probably well known to you, there is in session in Baltimore the Third National Peace Congress, and it has occurred to some of our members that it would be well for us to recognize that body and extend to it our greeting and sympathy, and in view of that fact a resolution has been prepared, which I will present to you for your consideration.

"The National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, in Congress assembled at Louisville, Ky., desire to extend their most hearty greetings to the National Peace Congress assembled at Baltimore. Standing under the folds of 'Old Glory,' we pledge with you greater loyalty to the government under whose banner it is our privilege to live, and assure you of our deepest interest in the movement to establish universal peace by arbitration."

I move, Mr. President, that this be sent to our compatriot, Wardner Williams, who is a delegate from the State of Colorado to that convention. He leaves today, and will be there to attend that Congress.

(This motion was seconded by Judge Hancock and several other members.)

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: Is there any discussion of this question? Is there any one who would like to be heard on this proposition?

(There were calls of "Question!" and the motion was adopted unanimously.)

INTERNATIONAL ARBITRATION.

Mr. PUGSLEY: Mr. President General, I am sure we all listened with great interest yesterday to the most admirable sermon on International Arbitration, by Dr. McCready, at the Cathedral: and I believe there has been one act of policy by President Taft that has met with universal approbation, and that is his efforts on behalf of international arbitration. And so it would seem eminently fitting, just at this time,

in connection with what ex-President General Greeley has just presented, that we should also pass a resolution thanking the President of the United States for his efforts along this line. There is iron in the blood of the Sons of the American Revolution, but I believe we want to keep step with the thought and vision of the age, and that thought and vision look towards the settling of our differences by arbitration, rather than by the sword. (Calls of "Good!" and applause.)

Therefore it gives me pleasure to move that the Sons of the American Revolution, in Congress assembled at Louisville, upon this day, heartily thank the President of the United States for his wise action looking towards international arbitration.

General GREELEY: I would like to say a word in regard to that matter. The President of the United States will open the Peace Congress at Baltimore. Ex-President General Pugsley is most deeply interested in this work, and he is not only entitled to the gratitude of this National Society, but of the world, for the work he has done. (Applause.)

(The motion of Mr. Pugsley was put to a vote and carried.)

The following telegram, prepared by Mr. Pugsley, was sent to President Taft:

HON. WILLIAM H. TAFT,
President of the United States, Washington, D. C.:

The following resolution was this day adopted: The National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, in Congress assembled at Louisville, most heartily commends the President of the United States for his splendid work and wise efforts in the interests of international arbitration.

WILLIAM A. MARBLE,
President General.

CHANGE OF DATE OF CONGRESS.

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: I think the time has arrived now when it is best for us to adjourn for the day. We have finished all the routine work, and we can begin tomorrow morning on new business. I am ready to entertain a motion to that effect.

(Colonel Guthrie so moved, and there were several seconds to his motion.)

Judge BEARDSLEY: Mr. President General, we have before us the question of an amendment to our Constitution, so as to change the time for holding our Annual Congress; and, if the gentleman will withdraw for the moment his motion to adjourn, we can dispose of that matter at this time.

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: I think we are all agreed on that, and I would like to get it out of the way, if possible. I thank Judge Beardsley for calling my attention to the matter. The Secretary General will now read the proposed changes in the Constitution in regard to the time of holding our Annual Congress, and will follow that by a resolution, which has been approved by the Executive Committee and the Board of Trustees.

The SECRETARY GENERAL: The motion is to amend Article VII—Section 1 of Article VII of the Constitution—by striking out the words "on the thirtieth day of April or on the first day of May," and inserting in lieu thereof "on the third Monday of May," so that as amended that section of the Constitution will read:

"The Annual Congress of the National Society for the election of the general officers and for the transaction of business shall be held on the third Monday of May in each year. The place of such meeting shall be designated by the Board of Trustees."

Doctor GUYER: I move the adoption of that amendment.

(Judge Beardsley and others seconded the motion.)

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: Moved and seconded that the resolution be adopted as recommended by the Executive Committee and the Board of Trustees.

(There were calls of "Question.")

Judge HANCOCK: Before that is adopted, I would like to know the reason of the proposed change.

Judge BEARDSLEY: We have found the present meeting time somewhat inconvenient in practice. In the first place, when the Congress meets on the first day of May it may have to meet on Saturday and then adjourn over until Monday, while if the first falls on Sunday we must have an adjournment until Monday. Then there are a great many of our members who are business men and are so situated that they find it almost impossible to leave home on the first day of the month, and they cannot attend our meeting. Another reason is that if the meeting time falls three weeks later in May, it assures us more pleasant weather. Our congresses have often been marred by bad weather, as you all know, and if we can meet a little later, when we can have more pleasant weather, it seems to me it will be a good thing. Besides, it will accommodate in a business way many of our members who cannot attend under the present arrangement, and I believe this plan will result in a much larger attendance.

General GREELEY: In confirmation of what Judge Beardsley has said, four members of our Connecticut Society are absent from this Congress because it came on the first day of the month. Their business is of such a character that it is impossible for them to leave home at this time, and I am sure that applies to many others.

(There were calls of "Question.")

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: All in favor of the change in the Constitution as proposed—which has already been published and submitted to various State Societies—please say "Aye."

(Motion was carried unanimously.)

Colonel GUTHRIE: Now I will renew my motion to adjourn until 10 o'clock tomorrow morning.

(Motion was duly carried.)

Morning Session, May 2, 1911—10.15 a. m.

The Congress was called to order by President General Marble.

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: Compatriots, the first thing in the order of business this morning is the taking up of a proposed amendment to the Constitution. This was introduced before the Congress last year, and I had the honor of introducing it. The amendment is as follows:

"Amend Article III of the Constitution, entitled 'Membership,' by the insertion of a new Section 2, as follows: 'No one shall be entitled to membership in any State Society who has previously been a member of any other State Society and dropped for the non-payment of dues until the indebtedness of such individual to the first Society shall have been adjusted.' Renumber Sections 2 and 3 so as to make them Sections 3 and 4."

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: This amendment does not prevent any State Society from liquidating its claim against any member before he leaves the Society on any basis that Society may see fit to adopt. Is there any discussion on this subject?

(On motion made and seconded, the proposed amendment was adopted unanimously.)

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: Before taking up the first regular order of business, I will call on the Rev. Mr. Halsey, of Arizona, who would like to be heard for a few moments.

Doctor HALSEY: Compatriots, it is with great pleasure that I bring you greetings from the Sons of the American Revolution of the Territory that had the nerve and the patriotism to refuse Statehood until it had the right to her own star upon the Flag. (Applause.) I bring you greetings from men who are workers. It is our privilege there to have as earnest, faithful workers as can be found anywhere—our Governor, our Adjutant General, the Mayor of our city; that is the kind of men we have in our Society. We are growing, also; we have over fifty members now, which is a good percentage as compared with other Societies. I do not come direct from Arizona just at present, but I would have considered it worth coming from Arizona here to have heard the splendid speech of General Buckner yesterday, and the responses made thereto. (Applause.) We believe in the Flag in Arizona, too, and it was my privilege, as Chairman of the Flag Committee, to draft the bill for such a law and aid in carrying it through the Legislature. And we believe in enforcing the law in Arizona, and we have had cases in the court at Phœnix against parties who infracted that law. It may be interesting to you to know that the first flag put out in Cuba was a flag given by the ladies of Phœnix to the Rough Riders. When our star glitters on the Flag—as was so eloquently stated yesterday by General Buckner—all we want as Arizonians is to be received by our sister States with as kingly cordiality and as queenly courtesy as the members of this Congress have been received by the Sons and Daughters of Kentucky in Louisville. (Applause.)

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: The Chair will recognize Mr. Samuel D. Hubley, of Pennsylvania.

Mr. HUBLEY: I just want to make a suggestion I think may be of benefit to many of the State Societies. In Pennsylvania two years ago we inaugurated what we called a "Noonday Luncheon." For several years we only met on the 22d of February, for the election of officers and an annual banquet, but that did not give much opportunity for bringing the members into closer personal acquaintance. Then we made arrangements with different hotels for a 50-cent meal, which lasted an hour, and at which we would have three-minute talks. Finally it grew into a six o'clock dinner, at 75 cents, and we would meet at six and stay until ten—and I expect Colonel Guthrie and some others of our Pennsylvania people will tell you it was hard to get all of them away at ten o'clock. (Laughter.) I want to suggest this as a good idea, a good move, to get your people personally and better acquainted.

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: The suggestion is a very welcome one. The Chair will now recognize Judge Hancock, of Pennsylvania, who has a report to make.

RETURN OF CERTIFICATES.

Judge HANCOCK: Gentlemen, I have here the report of the committee appointed yesterday with reference to an amendment of the By-laws and change in the form of certificate, where persons have dropped their membership for non-payment of dues. The report of your committee is as follows:

"To the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution:

"Your committee appointed to consider and report upon the legality and propriety of the following resolution, to-wit: 'That a clause be inserted in the application for membership and incorporated in the certificate granted thereunder, by which, when the recipient of the certificate shall not pay his membership, he shall surrender his certificate, unless his membership shall cease by reason of death or actual disability, to be determined by the Society of which he is a member,' unanimously report in favor of its adoption by the Congress, and that the Board of Trustees be directed to carry it into effect."

JAMES D. HANCOCK, *Chairman.*
A. HOWARD CLARK.
C. A. PUGSLEY.

Now, this matter needs some little explanation. In the first place, by putting this provision in the application, and afterwards in the certificate, it becomes a contract, which can be enforced at law in any court At the same time it is hoped that in a body of men like the Sons of the American Revolution it will never be necessary to enforce the law; it is hoped that, as honorable men, they will never want to hold a certificate staring them in the face which they know is a sham and a fraud. Yet, I have heard of a case from an adjoining State—and it is probably true of all the States—where a man became a member of our Society and the Secretary paid for his certificate, and he not only never reimbursed the Secretary, but never paid any of his annual dues until quite a sum had run up against him, the amount due on account of his mem-

bership having meantime been paid by his State Society to the National Society. The adoption of this report will stop that; and still it will be left, as you will see here, in the power of the State Societies to enforce these provisions. If the State Society finds that the dues have not been paid on account of actual disability, that ends it. If, on the other hand, the State Society finds that there is no actual disability, but that the purpose is to get the benefit of affiliation with the Society without paying for it, it is authorized to act. If their verdict is against him, they can call upon him to return the certificate which he has, and he will not only be bound in honor, but if necessary he can be compelled to do it under the law. That is all I have to say. (Applause.)

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: Gentlemen, you have heard the report of your committee. What is your pleasure?

Judge HANCOCK: In further explanation of our action I will say that we wanted to make this resolution as simple as possible, and to do but one thing. If it should become necessary hereafter, it can be amended to cover other points.

(After some further discussion and explanation of the report of the committee, it was unanimously adopted.)

VOTES OF THANKS.

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: We will now hear from Mr. Pugsley, the chairman of the Committee on Resolution of Thanks to Congressman Loud.

Mr. PUGSLEY: The committee recommend the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the thanks of this Congress be tendered to our co-patriot, the Hon. George A. Loud, Representative from Michigan in the Congress of the United States, for his patriotic service in securing an appropriation to cover the funeral expenses incident to the honorable interment at Annapolis, Maryland, of the body of John Paul Jones, the peerless naval hero of the War of the Revolution.

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: Gentlemen, you have heard the report of your committee. What is your pleasure?

General GREELEY: I move the adoption of the report.

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: The Chair would like to ask to have that resolution engrossed and sent to Congressman Loud.

General GREELEY: I accept that suggestion.

(The motion was so put and carried.)

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: Admiral Baird will read resolutions of thanks to Senators Bacon and Lodge, as a member of the committee appointed at Monday morning's session.

Rear Admiral BAIRD: Your committee recommend the adoption of the following resolutions:

Resolved, That the thanks of this Congress be tendered to United States Senator Augustus O. Bacon, of Georgia, for his patriotic service in securing the passage by the Senate of an appropriation to provide for a memorial to Thomas Jefferson.

Resolved, That the thanks of this Congress be tendered to our compatriot, United States Senator Henry Cabot Lodge, of Massachusetts, for his patriotic service in securing the passage by the Senate of an appropriation to provide for a memorial to Alexander Hamilton, to be erected in the city of Washington.

(Motion made and seconded that these resolutions be adopted, and likewise engrossed and sent to Senators Bacon and Lodge. Carried.)

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: I will now ask the Secretary General to read a telegram received by me this morning from the Florida Society.

PENSACOLA, FLA., *May* 1, 1911.

W. A. MARBLE, *President,*
National Society, S. A. R., Seelbach Hotel, Louisville, Ky.:

The Florida Society send greetings to our compatriots and report that although still small, we now have largest membership in Society's history. I earnestly request that compatriots who have relations or friends in Florida who are eligible for membership will write me their names, so that I may send them a personal invitation to join Florida Society, S. A. R.

JOHN H. CROSS, *President.*

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: The Chair would suggest, if it meets with the approval of the Congress, that a return telegram be sent the President of the Florida Society.

(This suggestion was adopted, on motion of Mr. Dewey.)

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: We have now completed all the routine business on the table, and are in a receptive mood for new business.

PUBLICATION OF RECORDS OF THE REVOLUTION.

Mr. STEELE, of Buffalo: Mr. President General, yesterday I mentioned the fact that I would bring up a resolution in regard to the classification and printing of records in Washington. This resolution was presented to us by that remarkable and wonderful Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution in Buffalo, consisting of nearly 700 members, presided over by a Regent whom most of you know personally. Mrs. John Miller Horton presented a similar resolution at the Continental Congress of the Daughters of the American Revolution, recently held in Washington. This resolution was presented in this form, after conforming to suggestions made by Compatriot Alexander, former member of Congress, and Chairman of the Rivers and Harbors Committee. Mr. Alexander is not now in the House, but he is deeply interested in this matter, and is a member of the Buffalo Chapter. He thinks this can be carried through. I doubt whether it can be carried through in the exact way I have the resolution here, from what I heard from Mr. Clark yesterday, but I think it would be all right to pass this resolution at this time. I will read the resolution:

Preambles and Resolutions Relative to the Publication by the United States Government of Pension Records, etc., Recommended for Adoption by the Twenty-second Annual Congress of the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution.

WHEREAS all persons engaged in genealogical research find great difficulty in procuring copies from the government of records of pensions, land grants, and land rights of soldiers and sailors who have seen service under the United States government; and

WHEREAS the members of patriotic societies particularly find it difficult to procure these records in anything like the number or promptness which they desire for the correct and proper proof of service; and

WHEREAS the United States government departments of State, War, and Navy, and Interior are the only places wherein a copy of these records may be obtained; and

WHEREAS there has never been published by the government anything more than a mere list of the names of those who have received pensions for their service, and this list is now out of print and is most difficult of access; and

WHEREAS the publication by the government of all such records would be of the utmost value, not only to all persons engaged in genealogical and historical research, but as a means of preservation for the records themselves, which might otherwise easily be destroyed by fire or lost: therefore, be it

Resolved, That this organization of the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, in Congress assembled, do hereby petition the government of the United States to publish in full all records of pensions, land grants, land rights, or other records of service which may be in existence for all soldiers prior to the Mexican War; and be it further

Resolved, That all State Societies of the National Society, Sons of the American Revolution, be requested to endorse this project, and that individual members of this Society personally interview their congressional representatives upon this subject, and urge upon them the necessity and importance of such action by the government; and be it further

Resolved, That the President General of the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution appoint a committee for the purpose of presenting the matter of the publication of the aforesaid records to the government of the United States, said committee to ascertain through the proper channels the necessary amount of appropriation, and to petition the government, through the Committee on Appropriations of the House of Representatives, for the necessary funds and the publications of these records.

Mr. STEELE (continuing): I think there is very little to be said on this subject. As we all know, there was recently a terrible fire in Albany, which destroyed priceless records there. It did not turn out quite as bad as we feared, under the circumstances; but very valuable records were thrown ruthlessly out of the windows and destroyed—records that can never be replaced. And I believe if these records could be published by the United States government it would be a big thing. It will be a long, hard fight, but we can probably get it in the end. I move the adoption of the resolution.

Colonel KNIFFIN: I may not have made myself as plain in my report of yesterday as I should have done, although I tried to do so. The records that are referred to here are historical and genealogical records. The Adjutant General has the records of all soldiers mustered in and

mustered out; but the records I refer to are on the pension claims. I tried to make it plain yesterday that it is impossible to handle these claims but by the men engaged in that work. In taking these claims apart we look at all the papers, and we have a card something like that (indicating), about that size, on which we enter the soldier's name and the name of his widow, if he has one, and his service. Then down below we give a synopsis of his record, of his actual service, what war he was in—not every action, not every campaign in which he was engaged. Below that we give the names of all his children, and sometimes there are a good many of them. People were not ashamed to have children in those days. (Laughter.) Sometimes they had 12 or 13, and they are all there. That card must be completed from the claim, and cannot be handled any other way than as it is being handled. It is being handled by a corps of competent and industrious clerks. Now these claims have been rolled up and the dust of scores of years is on them. They are opened up very carefully and examined. Oftentimes there is a very large number of these papers, sometimes 15 or 20 or 25. They contain priceless autographs—autographs that the collector of historical matter would give a hundred thousand dollars for, if he could get them. They comprise the names of everybody that anybody ever heard of in connection with the Revolutionary War. When that card is completed this matter can be put into type; but nothing can be done until this information is carded, and that is going on as rapidly as can be done. It is entirely practicable to have the information from these records printed when that is done.

(After some discussion the resolutions offered by Mr. Steele were referred to the Executive Committee for consideration and action.)

MEMORIAL TO GENERAL HENRY LEE.

Rear Admiral BAIRD: There are no delegates from Virginia here, but Kentucky was a part of Virginia once and I think we are on proper ground, and I want to offer the following resolution:

WHEREAS the remains of Gen. Henry Lee ("Light Horse Harry Lee"), of Virginia, are now buried on Cumberland Island, off the coast of Georgia; and

WHEREAS General Lee was one of the most talented and capable soldiers of the Revolution, and was chosen to deliver the funeral oration over his commander-in-chief, using those famous words so familiar to every American boy and girl—"First in war, first in peace, and first in the hearts of his countrymen": therefore, be it

Resolved, That the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, assembled in Annual Congress at Louisville, request the Congress of the United States to take steps to remove to Virginia or Washington city all that remains of Light Horse Harry Lee, and to erect a mausoleum or some fitting monument as a memorial of his talents and sterling character for the benefit of future generations.

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: Gentlemen, you have heard the resolution offered by Rear Admiral Baird, in the interest of the State of Virginia, upon a subject we are all interested in. What is your pleasure?

Mr. KIMBALL, of Rhode Island: I move that the resolution be referred to the Executive Committee. My reason for doing that is this: When the resolutions were originally brought to the attention of some of the members of this Congress the name of Major General Nathanael Greene was included, as it was supposed that his grave was also upon this island, and delegates from Rhode Island were directed to join in requesting this Congress to take action. It was altogether an error as to General Greene, as his remains are not on that island, and it is possible the same error may have taken place in regard to the grave of General Lee, since action looking to the removal of his remains has been taken by the University at Lexington, Virginia. So I think it would be better to have the Executive Committee investigate the facts and thus possibly save this Society from making a mistake, as it was about to do in regard to General Greene. I think we should have a committee to investigate and ascertain the facts in this matter, as the assumption here may be incorrect. I move to refer to the Executive Committee.

(Motion seconded, and vote put on motion to refer to Executive Committee for investigation, and for such action as may seem best. Carried.)

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: Is there anything else to come up under the head of "New Business"?

INVITATIONS FOR CONGRESSES OF 1913 AND 1915.

Mr. VANDERCOOK: Mr. President General, Illinois had the second greatest gain in membership last year, and also we have come here with the second largest delegation, New York having the largest. We simply desire to serve notice now that we will invite the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution to meet in the city of Chicago on the third Monday in May, in 1913. (Applause.)

The SECRETARY GENERAL: The California Society, through its Trustee, Mr. Mastick, who was unable to attend this Congress, has extended an invitation to the Congress of the National Society to meet in San Francisco in 1915.

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: Gentlemen, what is your pleasure in regard to these invitations. I believe they should be referred to the Board of Trutees, in the usual course of business.

SALE OF FLAGS AT POST OFFICES.

Mr. THRUSTON BALLARD: At the meeting of the Kentucky Society some months ago I had the honor of offering the following resolution upon the subject of placing small flags of the United States on sale at the different post-offices in the country:

"Upon motion by Mr. S. Thruston Ballard, the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution is urgently requested to call upon the United States government authorities and request that small United States flags be placed on sale in all Federal buildings of the United States, in order that a patriotic spirit and love of country may be

engendered amongst the people of the country, and the corresponding respect and regard for the Flag be cultivated among all the citizens of the States."

Mr. Charles Thruston Johnson, Secretary of the Kentucky Society, sent a copy of this resolution to the Secretary General on the date of its adoption, and this reply was received:

WASHINGTON, D. C., *December* 5, 1910.

DEAR SIR AND COMPATRIOT: Referring to your letter of November 12, in regard to the sale of flags in all Federal buildings, the Executive Committee, at its meeting on November 19, found that the question was one that the Committee could not properly act upon, and suggested that it be brought to the attention of the Congress at Louisville.

Very truly yours,

A. HOWARD CLARK,
Secretary General.

Mr. BALLARD (continuing): I simply wish to say to the members of the Congress assembled here that this is a question to which I have given a good deal of thought and a good deal of study. I have found that the European governments, in their endeavor to encourage a patriotic spirit, do it largely through their national flags. In many of the countries of Europe each little kingdom of sovereignty has its own national flag, and when they go into war each carries its own banner. And then they have their general national flag, of course. I am sure that the National Flag of our country, the flag under which we all merge, does a great deal to increase patriotic unity of thought and idea. Now, this resolution is merely a tentative one, and in offering it I can say that we hope it will be amended or improved by your Flag Committee. We should be glad to see some action taken upon it by this Congress. The resolution we have prepared is as follows:

WHEREAS the government of the United States of America has a beautiful flag, emblematic of the Union of the States; and

WHEREAS this flag inspires patriotism wherever unfurled; and

WHEREAS it is desirable that the youth of our country should have the love of country developed to the greatest extent: Be it

Resolved, That the Sons of the American Revolution in Congress assembled, do hereby memorialize the President of the United States to endeavor to have flags of this country sold at all of the post-offices; be it further

Resolved, That the President General of this Society appoint a committee to present this resolution to the President of the United States and the proper committee of Congress.

Mr. CURTIS: I move the adoption of these resolutions.

(Motion duly seconded and carried.)

FACSIMILES OF DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE.

Mr. WENTWORTH, of Iowa: I regret very much that I was not present yesterday when the President General read his address. I want to say that the Iowa Society, on the 19th of April, voted an additional $50 for

the permanent fund. (Cries of "Good!" and applause.) We do not want our State to be surpassed by Vermont or any other State; we want to be on an equality with the rest of the nation in this matter. The Iowa Society, in the endeavor to cultivate a patriotic spirit, has recommended that there be prepared, under the direction of the National Society, a facsimile of the Declaration of Independence and a photogravure copy of Trumbull's great picture of the Signing of the Declaration, that may be sold to State Societies for presentation to public schools and colleges throughout the country. We believe that the best way to inspire a patriotic spirit in the youth of the land is to place in our school-houses reproductions of such great historic documents and pictures as I have indicated. The Iowa Society would like to have this Annual Congress provide for pictures of that kind, with copies of the Declaration of Independence, with the insignia of the nation placed in the corner, bearing the stamp of genuineness, as it will, and place these on sale. Many compatriots could well afford to donate them to the schools of their respective communities. I offer this suggestion in order to bring this matter before the Congress. I move you, sir, that the National Society, or the Secretary General of the National Society, be instructed to inquire into the cost of procuring reproductions of this great picture of the Signing of the Declaration of Independence, taken from the original Trumbull picture, as also facsimiles of the Declaration of Independence, and report to the Board of Trustees, with power to act.

(Motion duly seconded and carried.)

(At this point Judge Beardsley moved to proceed with the election of officers of the Society for the ensuing year, but on the suggestion by Colonel Mack, Chairman of the Special Committee on Arrangements, that the committee had carefully worked out its program, which had been printed and circulated broadcast, and was generally understood among the members, and that it would result in confusion and dissatisfaction to make any change at this time, Judge Beardsley withdrew his motion.)

The Secretary General read an invitation, received from the library officials, to the effect that the museum at the other end of the building was open, and that delegates, with their friends, were invited to visit it.

Mr. Barbour, of Michigan, offered the following resolution, which was adopted by a rising vote:

Resolved, That we extend the thanks of the delegates of this National Congress of the Sons of the American Revolution to our Louisville members who have so generously entertained us and made this feature of our meeting so pleasurable.

Mr. Hubley: Mr. President General, I move that a vote of thanks be also extended by this Congress to the ladies of Louisville for the very elegant and delightful manner in which they have entertained our ladies.

(Motion seconded and adopted by a unanimous rising vote.)

The Secretary General: Mr. President General, the Executive Com-

mittee had a meeting on April 30, and passed a resolution commending the proposed purchase by Mr. Butler, ex-President of the Ohio Society, of the ancestral home of the Washington family in England. I move that this Congress take like action—that it commend the purchase, giving it moral support; not financial support, merely moral support.

(Motion seconded by Mr. Curtis and carried.)

WASHINGTON MEMORIAL BUILDING.

Colonel LAUMAN: Mr. President General, may I revert to the Committee on Washington Memorial Building, and offer the suggestion that that committee take into consideration the advisability of suggesting to the State Societies a special annual meeting on Washington's Birthday, with the concrete idea of raising funds for the erection of this memorial building. I will suggest that they meet on that day, with the idea of forwarding the project of this memorial building at Washington city. It would give us a specific subject to work on, in addition to just sending in our little check subscriptions. In other words, it would popularize the idea and let everybody know about it, and we would have something definite to work on. I offer this as a suggestion to the Committee.

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: Do you offer it in the form of a resolution?

Colonel LAUMAN: Yes; I will change it to a resolution.

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: Will you formulate it in writing later?

Colonel LAUMAN: I will do so; yes.

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: Gentlemen, you have heard the resolution offered by our compatriot from Illinois. Is there any second to his motion?

(There were several seconds to the resolution.)

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: Does anybody now desire to discuss this proposition? It is now open for discussion. Perhaps Mr. DeCaindry can give us some information on that subject.

Mr. DECAINDRY: I am not sufficiently posted on the matter to speak about it.

Mr. WENTWORTH: I dislike very much to disagree with our friend from Illinois, or any one else, but I am of old-fashioned Yankee ancestry, and look upon our "holy day" in the same way they did. I object to the financial proposition—to the idea of using this date to raise money for this George Washington Memorial Building.

A MEMBER: So do I. (Applause.)

Mr. WENTWORTH: I believe in getting together and celebrating our appreciation of what George Washington did for this country—by attending banquets with the Sons and Daughters of the American Revolution, as we do and have done; but I do not think we should have this commercial feature mixed up with it; I do not think the memorial feature should be connected with the financial feature in any sense whatever.

Mr. CURTIS: I fully concur with Mr. Wentworth.

Mr. WENTWORTH: I hardly think this Congress wants to pass this resolution in this hasty form. There is a good deal to be said on both sides of the question, and I move that this matter be referred to the Executive Committee.

(There were several seconds to this motion.)

Colonel LAUMAN: I accept the gentleman's proposition. In justice to myself, however, I want to ask the gentleman from Iowa one question—if it has ever come under his observation that, on holy days, there is *sometimes* a collection taken? (Laughter and cheers.)

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: Gentlemen, you have heard the proposition of Colonel Lauman in regard to the Washington Memorial, and the motion that the whole subject be referred to the Executive Committee. Are you ready for the question?

(There were calls of "Question." A vote was taken and it was so ordered.)

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: Has anybody else anything to offer?

Mr. VANDERCOOK: I should like to offer a suggestion to the Educational Committee: That is, that each State Society be requested to ask its local Chapters to have published on the Fourth of July of each year, in a newspaper most popular in the place of publication, a paper on some historic or patriotic subject. This is simply a suggestion, and I hope the papers would be willing to take it up.

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: The Secretary General will make a note of that and so advise the committee.

SONS OF MEMBERS.

Mr. FYFE, of Michigan: Mr. President General, in looking over this Congress I see the faces of very few young men. Now I have some boys at home, and when I go home from this Congress I am going to say to them, "You must get ready and take in the next Congress of the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution." I hope every delegate here will try to induce some new people to come to our Congress.

Mr. WENTWORTH: Mr. President General, there is something wrong with the members of this Congress if their sons are not members of the Society.

Mr. DEWEY, of Vermont: I have been a member of this Society, and three generations of my family have been, and I hope this will continue until the seventh generation.

Mr. WENTWORTH, of Iowa: It is the example we set our sons. I have sons, too, and one is old enough to be a delegate here, but business kept him away. I would have been prouder than anybody here if he could have sat at my side. He is a better man than his father. (Applause.)

Mr. CHANDLER, of Connecticut: I would like to say a word as to the idea of securing our sons as members of this organization. Secretary Clark said that he had a son that he expected to take his place when he arrived at the age of 105. I would like to ask the members if they

are making any special efforts with their sons to get them into this organization. I speak from experience. I lost my youngest son two years ago, before he was a member of the organization. I have tried to secure my oldest son as a member, but have not yet succeeded. Now when we have a banquet of our State Society we invite our sons, and I would suggest to the members here that they invite their sons to their State banquets, and pay their bills, if necessary, to get them there. Let them hear the reports and the speeches made, and after a while we will get them in. We want these young men in the Society, and I hope the delegates here will see to it when they get home that they invite their sons to their State banquets, so that they may see what the Societies are doing.

WORK OF THE SOCIETY.

Rev. Joseph A. Vance, of Illinois: Mr. President General, the purpose of this organization is not simply to glorify the past and those who made it: it is as much to mold and inspire the present generation and shape the future. It is present opportunity as well as the great events in history that should engage us. It seems to me we would be doing a great work if we could impress upon our Educational Committees the desirability of formulating plans by which the strength of our manhood could be brought to bear on the problems of this day, just as the prowess of our forefathers was brought to bear on the problems of their day. (Applause.) That is certainly a way in which we would prove ourselves worthy sons of noble sires. I believe if our Educational Committee would take this suggestion to heart, however awkwardly we have brought it before you this morning, it would work for the increased usefulness of this organization. I think it should be our effort to make the impression that this organization is awake to the live questions of the day and do away with any false impression that it is a mere picnic affair. I think if any people in the world have ever glorified patriotism in the hearts of the rank and file of the people, it has been the Sons and Daughters of the American Revolution. (Applause.)

Mr. Lum, of New Jersey: I do not think this Congress has failed to go on record on any question that has been presented to it in proper form; and, referring to the present, its action just taken as to the National Peace Congress now assembled at Baltimore, by which it unanimously endorsed that movement, is an evidence of that. Most of the questions of the day have two sides to them. Up to the present time I think this Congress has dealt with every question that they could with propriety and safety deal with.

Mr. McClary, of Illinois: No one can properly accuse this organization of being a self-admiration society. It is as different and as opposite from that as possible. It has done more than any other similar society in the United States to promote patriotism in all directions, and those who think otherwise are either misinformed or uninformed. A committee has been working for two years endeavoring to get into

compact form a statement of the accomplishments of this Society, through its several State Societies. If we could make our organization a closer one we would all be better informed. I suggest that every delegate here, when he gets home, make it a point to impress upon his State Society the desirability of keeping in touch not only with the National Society, but with each of the other State Societies. It will tend to bring us together and hold us together. I would also suggest that great liberality be exercised in the distribution of the Year Book, and that great publicity be given to the fact that it can be had for about 15 cents a copy. If you want to help make the Society a unit, make out a list of compatriot friends and send it to the Secretary General, with the small necessary remittance, instructing him to send each of them a copy of the Year Book. I have for years distributed 20 or 25 copies among compatriot friends, and I think it effective work. One thing which we are trying to do here is to make more National our State Societies.

(A proposition was submitted, on behalf of Major Armes, that the National Society erect a memorial building in Washington city, and the subject was indefinitely postponed.)

On motion, the Congress adjourned to meet Wednesday morning, at 10 o'clock, in the convention hall of the Seelbach Hotel, on the top floor.

Morning Session, May 3, 1911—10 a. m.

President General Marble, in opening the session, made an announcement in regard to a Mammoth Cave trip proposed to be taken by some of the members.

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: I want to make an announcement on my own personal responsibility. It has come to my knowledge, and possibly to the knowledge of most of the delegates present, that we are honored today in this Congress by the presence of Colonel RoBards, of Hannibal, Missouri, who, with Mrs. RoBards, is celebrating the fiftieth anniversary of his marriage by making this his golden wedding journey. (Applause.) If there are any young married men here who would like advice from a veteran, judging from what Colonel RoBards has told me this morning, I think he will be glad to give them a lecture at any time before he leaves here. (Laughter.)

(The Congress extended its unanimous congratulations to Compatriot and Mrs. RoBards.)

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: The Chair will recognize Colonel Mack, of Ohio.

VOTES OF THANKS.

Colonel MACK: Mr. President General, I want to move the adoption of a vote of thanks. The gentleman with whom I have been associated on the Committee of the National Congress to prepare for this meeting is also chairman of a local committee. I refer to Mr. Rogers Clark

Ballard Thruston, of this city. I have never known, in all my experience, such earnest, constant, faithful, and successful work as Mr. Ballard Thruston has done for us here. (Applause.) Now while we have adopted resolutions of thanks in a general way, I want this Congress to vote Mr. R. C. Ballard Thruston a special vote of thanks for his splendid work in our behalf. (Applause.)

Colonel RoBards: And I move, Mr. President General, that that vote be taken as a standing vote.

(Vote of thanks carried by a unanimous rising vote.)

Mr. Curtis: Mr. Chairman, while we are voting thanks to gentlemen who are eminently worthy, I want to suggest that there is a man behind the gun that should not be overlooked, and I want to move a very extra special vote of thanks to Colonel Mack himself. (Applause.)

Colonel Mack: A soldier always obeys orders from his commander to do any special work, and he is not thanked therefor. He receives a pat on the back and a "Well done, my boy!" and that is all. That has already been given to me by the commander-in-chief of this army. Therefore I do not need a special vote of thanks. (Laughter.) It is not soldierly to do so.

The President General: Gentlemen, you have heard the motion of Compatriot Curtis, of Connecticut. What is your pleasure?

(There were calls of "Question.")

The President General: The Chair will suggest that you pass this resolution by a rising vote. Those in favor of it will please stand. (All the members arose.) Colonel Mack, it is unanimously carried. (Applause.)

Is there anything else now to offer under the head of "New Business"?

Colonel Kniffin: Mr. President General, may I request you to ask all the grandsons of Revolutionary soldiers to rise and be counted? Not the great-grandsons, but the grandsons.

The President General: It is requested that all the grandsons of soldiers who served in the Revolutionary Army shall rise. I take great pleasure in being one of them.

(Thirteen members arose.)

The President General: One for each of the thirteen original Colonies! (Applause.)

(Two additional members arose.)

Mr. Dewey: That takes in Kentucky and Vermont.

Doctor Halsey: Now, Mr. President General, I would like to request those who have sons who are members of their State Societies, or members of the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, stand up. I presume that will not preclude the grandsons.

(The members arose to the number of thirty.)

The President General: That shows that some of us are bringing up our sons in the right way.

Mr. Larner, of the District of Columbia: Mr. President General, what about those who have no sons, but have daughters in the Daughters of the American Revolution?

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: This is not a Daughters' Congress. We are proud of you that have daughters. I have none myself.

Compatriots, if there is no further business to come before this session, the nomination of officers for the ensuing year is the next order of business, and we should be glad to receive nominations for President General. It has been customary at times to call the roll of the States alphabetically. Is it your wish that that be done at this time?

(There were cries of "No" from several members.)

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: The Chair is ready to entertain nominations, then, for President General of this Society.

Mr. CRANDON, of Massachusetts: Mr. President General, before proceeding to the nomination I desire to make, I want to voice my sentiments of gratitude for all the attentions and courtesies that have been showered upon us so liberally by our friends of Kentucky. I arise to place in nomination for the office of President General of our Society a citizen of Kentucky's sister Commonwealth of Massachusetts. I arise to nominate a compatriot who has served faithfully in his local Chapter, and built it up from a membership of 25 to nearly a hundred in his two years' administration: a man whose love of history, whose natural feeling of affection for the traditions of his Commonwealth and native town, made him see in our Society an opportunity for useful work—a man who saw nothing in the dry accident of ancestry comparable with the opportunities to serve his State, and his brethren, by his efforts in their behalf. The tablets and monuments which he began, and to which his genius and zeal largely contributed, attest the enthusiasm which our compatriot has shown in the cause we love so well. Our State Society, marking well his zeal, placed him on its Board of Managers, and elevated him through the Vice-Presidential chairs to the Presidential chair of our State Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, and he gave us a splendid administration. You know him well, compatriots, you have met him. He is familiar to you all. If elevated to the National Presidency, he will give to you the same heart and talent and zeal, the same quiet, modest, telling, enthusiastic work that he gave to us, that know him and love him for his work. He is the unanimous choice of 1,625 out of the 1,626 members who compose the Massachusetts Society, he being the other member. He has built into the warp and woof of Massachusetts, and he who does that can build into the warp and woof of our country. He is a true Massachusetts man, and that means a true American! It needs no words of eulogy from me to prove his high character and his worth, for his fidelity and willingness to serve, as shown by his own history in the Massachusetts Society, are his ample testimonial. And he will justify your confidence, if you will but call on him, as the exponent of the Commonwealth he represents, to gain yet higher honor by yet more service—the only way in which men realize on earth their dream of heaven. Mr. President:

"We learn from him that rugged truth and zeal
Win for a man true weal.
That e'en in midst of selfishness,
Blighting the world, such good lives bless,
And to our hearts reveal
True manhood's noble crown and God's approving seal."

I place in nomination, Mr. President General, as a tribute from the heart of Massachusetts, Moses Greeley Parker, M. D. (Applause.)

Mr. PUGSLEY: Mr. President General, I am sure we appreciate the spirit of fellowship which has characterized this Congress of the Sons of the American Revolution. From all sections of our great land we have journeyed to enjoy the courteous hospitality of our compatriots of the city of Louisville and State of Kentucky. (Applause.) And we feel assured that here upon this common soil of Kentucky there are no sectional lines. We rejoice that we may clasp hands, North, South, East, and West, as brothers. (Applause.) The charm of this meeting here has been so great that we would like to continue longer with our friends. (Applause.) And I don't know but that we feel very much like the young lady of whom Doctor Parker tells us, who was riding in a street car in cultured Boston one day. She held a book in one hand and had the other in her muff. A young man came in and seated himself beside her, and, the situation seeming inviting, he ran his own hand into the other end of her muff and clasped the gentle hand that lay there. She turned her head and said, "Young man, I will give you just twenty minutes to take your hand out of my muff!" (Laughter and applause.)

(A VOICE: Was that Doctor Parker?) (Laughter.)

Mr. PUGSLEY (continuing): Mr. Chairman, two compatriots, each splendidly equipped to preside over this great organization, and each splendid in service in his State Society, as well as National, have been mentioned for President General. I wish that we of New York, the Empire State, could this year rally around that superb representative of the Middle West, Col. Isaac F. Mack, of Ohio (applause)—the State which has come to be the "mother of Presidents." But this year another splendid man from the State of Massachusetts seems to have the call, and I want to say, compatriots, that I hope if Doctor Parker should be elected this year that next year there will be no question about the election of Colonel Mack, of Ohio. I think I voice the sentiments of the compatriots of the Empire State when I say that we will rally this year to the support of Dr. Moses Greeley Parker, of Massachusetts, for President General. (Applause.)

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: Are there any other nominations?

Judge VAN DEMAN, of Ohio: Mr. President General and gentlemen: I would be exceedingly glad if I had the eloquent tongue of the gentlemen who entertained us last night, so that I might speak to you with effect on this occasion, because I feel that some word should be spoken that would burn into the heart and mind of every man present here.

Not, I mean, unkind, not angry; but patriotic, if you please. There ought to be in this Society, in my judgment, the highest type of patriotism, unselfish and as broad as this great land of ours, and not limited to any particular part of it. I observe in looking at the record that for the 22 years of the life of this Society there have been but two men named for President General west of the Alleghany Mountains. Does not this Society desire the development of the great central and western States? I contend that there should be no sectionalism in this Society. We should take our President General from the East, and from the central West, and from the West, and from the South—wherever we can get available men in each of these great sections of the country who will undertake and do what ought to be done in these various directions. (Applause.) I come to present to you a son of Ohio—that is, an adopted son; he is a son of New York by birth. I come to present an adopted son of Ohio; a faithful man, a man who has always been a worker in the cause. He has been a true soldier; he showed that a few moments ago by his remarks in connection with the resolution of thanks voted to him and another gentleman on the Committee on Arrangements for this magnificent meeting—arrangements by which he, in co-operation with these splendid Kentucky friends, has furnished us an entertainment that is unexampled in our history, and one that has been so pleasing to us all that it will go down in our memories as one of the greenest spots in our lives. (Applause.) Gentlemen, if Col. Isaac F. Mack is made President General of this Society, he will do something; he will do something for it. He will work for it, as he has the time and the opportunity to do, and the ability to do. He will develop it in the States that need development. Do not forget, my friends from Massachusets, that a great many of your sons are scattered all through this broad land of ours. Do not forget that where, perhaps, one boy stayed at home, three went to help win the West; and it is those sons, and their sons and their grandsons, who have aided in the building of the Empire of the West, who ought to be recognized by this Society, and brought into its folds, and thereby be made helpful to you and to all of us in the building up and perpetuating of the great principles for which we stand. (Applause.) And if you do not stand for patriotic principles, and practice them, we are not worthy of being perpetuated. Now, compatriots, let me appeal to you, that the thing to do on this occasion—now, not putting it off until next year, for we do not know what may intervene between now and next year—I say the thing to do now is to begin the good work by nominating and electing Col. Isaac F. Mack, of Ohio, President General of this Society. (Applause.)

Mr. CHANDLER, of Connecticut: Mr. President General, I believe every compatriot present will endorse all that has been said about Colonel Mack. But, sir, Massachusetts, is my native State; one-half of my life has been lived in Massachusetts and the other half in Connecticut. Many of my dear and warmest friends have been members of the Massachusetts State Society of the Sons of the American Revolution. Some of them have now gone to that Congress of States and

Nations on the other side of the river. Others are at present members of the State Society of the S. A. R., and some of them are members of the Board of Management of that Society. I have never heard anything of Doctor Parker other than of his enthusiastic and indefatigable work for the cause in Massachusetts and throughout the country; and I sincerely hope, in rising as I do to second his nomination, that this Congress will endorse and elect him this morning as the next President General of the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution.

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: Do I hear any other name for President General?

Judge HANCOCK, of Pennsylvania: Mr. President General, I arise to second the nomination of Col. Isaac F. Mack. This Society has resting upon it the duty of looking after the growth and development of its membership. It is not a question of Massachusetts, it is not a question of Ohio, nor is it a question of Pennsylvania or of Kentucky, but the man that you want to put in this position is a man who, by his capacity, energy and zeal, will place this Society in the very front rank of the societies of these United States. (Applause.) I do not believe altogether in sentiment; I believe that above and beyond sentiment is efficiency; and you all ought to know by this time, those of you that have been here, and have seen his good work in conjunction with that of our noble compatriots of Kentucky, that Colonel Mack has given us the finest—away beyond anything—celebration that we have ever had in this country. (Applause.) Now, I live west of the Alleghany Mountains, in the great State of Pennsylvania. In the eastern part of the State the Sons of the Revolution were established before we were. We Sons of the American Revolution control the western part of the State, but east of the mountains it is the Sons of the Revolution. We have to meet a competition which you gentlemen in Massachusetts and Connecticut do not have to meet, and that same competition extends over into Ohio. Colonel Mack, from the very beginning of the Ohio Society, has been one of its most faithful members. He has filled every position in its gift; and as editor of a newspaper, there has been no event or happening in the Society which he has not celebrated in his paper, thereby lending its material aid. As President of his State Society he was active in every part of the State. We know him in Pennsylvania; we have known him for years. While we may have differed from him in politics, we have always admired his sterling worth. And I want to say here to my Southern and Western friends that, during the reconstruction days in the South succeeding the Civil War, when some hard things were said in the North against the Southern people, Colonel Mack was never other than magnanimous and liberal in his expressions towards the men who had fought against him, and fought so bravely (applause), and his paper always advocated the most gentle and forgiving sentiments towards the Southern people; and they are his sentiments today. (Applause.) Now, we had some talk last night about Virginia. In the early settlement of this country Virginia had five or

six Presidents of the United States, and deserved them all. But the time came when she lost her influence in the election of Presidents, and that honor has now come to the State of Ohio, a daughter of Virginia. Ohio represents the sentiments of Washington and Jefferson and Madison and Monroe, and all of the other great Virginians; and today you and I are honest enough to know it is not impossible we will have to take another President from Ohio, because we will have to vote on both sides to overcome him. (Applause.) Ohio's list of Presidents now almost equals, if not quite, that of Virginia. Now, let us place her in a higher position still, and make Colonel Mack President General of this Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, and then put him still higher by making him President of the United States! (Applause and laughter.) Gentlemen, we have no trade to make; we put him before you on his own merits. We will make no trade for next year or the year after. We believe that he deserves this honor, and that it will work for the prosperity of the Society.

Now, it has been said that the Middle West, where the great proportion of the population at the present exists in Pennsylvania, Ohio, Illinois, and Indiana—that great, rich, and glorious section of our country—has not been properly represented in the offices of this Society. I do not believe, personally, that there was ever any such feeling. But there is such a claim, and it has affected us in the Middle States somewhat injuriously. We have felt its influence; it has impaired our growth—this idea that we have not been sufficiently represented in the active management of the Society. And so I want to say to you now—not because of the member from Ohio, not because of his eloquent opponent from Massachusetts, but because we need efficient management of this Society, and that the greatest good shall be done—that we ought to elect a man west of the Alleghanies; and we know that Col. Isaac F. Mack will fill the bill, and we know the great section of the Middle West will receive an attention it has not heretofore received. I second the nomination for President General of Col. Isaac F. Mack, of Ohio. (Applause.)

Mr. Dewey: We have here two men so well known in their noble work that it seems a pity they cannot both be elected at one time; but, as that cannot be, Vermont seconds the nomination of Dr. Moses Greeley Parker. (Applause.)

The President General: Are there any other nominations?

Dr. Iglehart, of Maryland: I move that nominations be closed.

(Colonel Mack here arose to protest against his own nomination. He began by saying that he did not propose to second any nomination, because he would have to second the nomination of both parties, and he did not want to do that. To illustrate his position, he told the story of the old farmer out West who, with his hired man, was mowing hay one day. First one of them would take the scythe and cut a swath, and then the other. It was the hired man's turn, and he spied a hornet's nest just ahead and he knew it spelt "trouble." The old farmer made light of his fears, and said he would not be stung if he would but cut

right straight through: and, to show how it could be done, he took the scythe himself and mowed through, with the result that might be expected. The old man had said in his heart, "The wicked flee when no man pursueth; but the righteous are bold as a lion." But the hired man recalled, "And the foolish pass on and are punished!") (Applause and laughter.)

Colonel Mack then continued:

Now I don't propose to take the first swath where there is a hornet's nest ahead! (Laughter.) I didn't come here as a candidate for President General. On the 19th day of April, when my State held its annual meeting, one of the members moved that I be the unanimous choice of the Ohio Society for President General of the National Society, and so the delegates were instructed. It went through with a "Hurrah"; but I said to them at the time, "Boys, I am not a candidate for the office of President General, and I don't care to have the office. I dread the responsibility of it; I am afraid of the work to be done; and no man ought to want an office who does not do his duty." He has got to do something if he expects to get the honor of the office, and I was afraid I could not do what ought to be done; and so I said to them, "I am not in it." I came on here last Friday to confer with my fellow-committeemen and see that everything was in order. I am happy to say that everything was in order, as you have found out. I learned soon after I got here that some of my friends from other States were talking about this move, and I said to them, "I am not a candidate." Finally the Ohio delegation—they were all here—insisted on pushing me forward. I said to them, "I wish you would let me alone; I prefer to be just where I am, a private in the ranks, and carry a gun instead of a sword." But no; they would not have it. Now what the result would be if a vote were taken I do not know; but I do know that I don't wish to be as foolish as that old farmer. Therefore I withdraw my name from nomination and ask my friends to support Dr. Parker, of Massachusetts.

(There were cries of "No! No!")

Mr. Curtis: Mr. President General, I have been listening to Mr. Pugsley's relation of a personal experience in Boston; and, living next door to Boston, so to speak, it occurs to me that perhaps if we support the Massachusetts man we may have some similar experiences. (Laughter.) We seem to be up against an embarrassment of riches here. We have two candidates that we would like to support——

Colonel Mack: You have but one.

Mr. Curtis: But Colonel Mack has very magnanimously withdrawn his nomination, and I would therefore second the nomination of Dr. Parker, on account of the Connecticut Society; and I move you, sir, that the polls be closed, and that the Secretary General be instructed to cast the ballot of this Society for Dr. Parker for President General.

Colonel Mack: I second that nomination.

Colonel Guthrie: The name of Colonel Mack is not withdrawn.

Colonel Mack: I have withdrawn it.

Colonel GUTHRIE: But you can't do it.

Judge BEARDSLEY: The gentleman cannot withdraw his name, except by unanimous consent.

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: Gentlemen, you will prepare your ballot for President General. Colonel Mack, of Ohio, and Dr. Parker, of Massachusetts, are in nomination.

Colonel MACK: I don't want to be put up to be knocked down; I never was in my life. Judge Van Deman is my friend and President of our State Society. I want to ask him if he is not satisfied with my withdrawal.

Judge VAN DEMAN: At the earnest request of Colonel Mack, if I have the privilege, I will withdraw his name; but, if I have not the privilege, I make a motion that I be granted the privilege.

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: The Chair will rule that the gentleman has that privilege, under the circumstances.

Colonel MACK: Then I make a motion that the Secretary General be directed to cast the ballot of this Society electing Dr. Parker, of Massachusetts, President General.

(Motion seconded by Dr. Halsey, of Arizona.)

The Secretary announced that the ballot had been cast, as directed.

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: Gentlemen, the vote has been cast, and I have the honor of announcing that Dr. Moses Greeley Parker has been elected President General of your Society. (Great applause.)

Colonel MACK: Mr. President General, permit me to say one word more. I know how Judge Hancock feels. He and I have been personal friends for many years. I tried to give him assistance when he was President, and I know how kindly he feels towards me, and how others feel who have been talking in my favor here. I want to thank them all, and I want to assure them that in withdrawing my name at this time it is not because of any lack of appreciation of their kindness towards me. (Applause.)

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: The Chair will request ex-Presidents General Greeley, of Connecticut, and Pugsley, of New York, to escort the President-elect to the platform.

(The gentlemen named performed this duty, and the President General continued:)

Dr. Parker, I congratulate you personally. Compatriots, Dr. Moses Greeley Parker, of Massachusetts, your President General-elect. (Applause.)

Dr. PARKER: Mr. President General and compatriots, I fear that I cannot find words to express my gratitude to you for placing me in this high office. It is one of the greatest honors that could be conferred on any man, and certainly is the greatest honor of my life. I cannot take it to myself alone; I take it as a compliment to my State Society, the good old State of Massachusetts, and I thank you for it.

In accepting this office I pledge myself to do all I can for the increase of our membership. To my mind we must look to the Chapters for the greatest increase in our Society. We must do all we can for the

Chapters; we must encourage them in every way. Let them not be content with only one or two meetings a year. Let them have more; encourage them to have more, and have them use their local, social influence to attract local interest. This is the way the Daughters of the American Revolution have increased their membership to the very large number of 87,000.

It has been my experience that it is a most difficult thing for the young members of our Society to make out their papers. The making out of their papers for joining the Society has been hard work for them. In some Chapters one man alone has been able to make out a large number of papers. For instance, in Massachusetts, Mr. Atwood, of the Lynn Chapter, has made out the papers for over 160 applicants, and made them members of our Society. Mr. Sterling, of New Jersey, has done work of the same sort for his Society; and, in Buffalo, Mr. Steele has been doing the same good work. There is one point I want to call your attention to in this connection: the Daughters have made out their papers for 87,000 members. Those papers are on file. Those Daughters have fathers and brothers, and many of them sons that are 21 years of age. Every one of these are eligible, and their papers are all made out. We have only to ask them and encourage them and get them interested, and any one can obtain a paper for them to sign. Gather them in! Gather them into our Society!

Compatriots, I thank you. (Applause.)

(President General Marble continued in the chair to the close of the session.)

The President General: The next thing in order will be the election of five Vice-Presidents, and nominations are now invited for that office.

Colonel Thompson, of the District of Columbia: Mr. President General, I want to nominate for the office of Vice-President a man who has always been zealous to advance the interests of our local Society, and whose efforts have also been exercised on behalf of the National Society, as is well known. On behalf of the District of Columbia Society, I nominate for the office of Vice-President Commander J. H. Moore, of Washington city.

Mr. Starr, of Indiana: Mr. President General, it has fallen to my lot to perform a very pleasant duty—that of presenting the name of a gentleman from our State who has been so closely identified, from the inception, almost, of our organization in Indiana, that his name is known throughout the length and breadth of the State as an enthusiastic worker for the Society. All of us, since we have been in Louisville, have received a very pretty lesson in support of a great principle enunciated by a great Englishman: that "Whatever is worth doing at all is worth doing well." It is evident to every person here that the Kentucky Society and those identified with the work of this entertainment proceeded upon that principle; and in Indiana we do the same thing. In bringing forward the name of the gentleman I will mention, I have only to say that he, also, has ever acted upon this principle. He has performed thoroughly and well all the duties that have de-

volved upon him. He has been given the highest honor that our State Society could bestow upon him, and in every position he has been called upon to fill he has performed the duties of it carefully and well.

I take great pleasure in placing in nomination for the office of Vice-President Mr. George O. Dix, of Indiana.

Colonel MACK: Mr. President General, I would like to have this Congress elect as one of the Vice-Presidents of this Society Joseph G. Butler, Jr., of Ohio. He is a man of high standing; has been a member of our State Society, and built up one of the best and most enthusiastic Chapters in our State. It would please our Society very much to have Mr. Butler honored with the office of Vice-President.

Dr. GUYER, of Colorado: Mr. President General, I rise to present the name of a man in my State who is eminently qualified for this position. His name is an influence there. It is the name of a man who, when he graduated from West Point, stood the highest in his scholarship of any student ever graduated. He holds that unique record to this day. It gives me pleasure to present to this Congress the name of Gen. Irving Hale, of Colorado, for Vice-President General. (Applause.)

Mr. PUGSLEY: Compatriots, I do not believe that in the whole history of the Sons of the American Revolution you have ever received finer entertainment or a more delightful time than at this Congress here in Louisville, Kentucky. (Applause.) I believe that there is just one thing that should not be overlooked at this time, and I want to suggest to you the name of a man I believe we shall all be delighted to honor. I want to present to you as a candidate for Vice-President of this Society the name of Mr. R. C. Ballard Thruston, of Louisville. (Cheers and applause.)

Mr. CURTIS: Mr. President General, the time is getting short and we have a good deal of business to attend to. I move you, sir, that nominating speeches be limited to three minutes.

This motion was seconded by Colonel Armes, and the Chair said it would be so held, without objection.

Mr. STEELE, of New York: I simply want to second the nomination of Commander J. H. Moore, who was formerly from my city of Buffalo.

Mr. BACON, of New York: I desire as a delegate from the Empire State to second the nomination of Mr. George O. Dix, of Indiana—a young man! As I look over this assembly and see some with thin hair and some with gray, I am impressed that the thing we should do is to elect this young man, who has done so much in Indiana to make his State Society what it is today. (Applause.)

Dr. HALSEY: Let me second for Arizona the name of Mr. R. C. Ballard Thruston for Vice-President General and express the hope that I may live long enough to come again to a Congress of the Sons of the American Revolution in Louisville. (Applause.)

General GREELEY: Mr. President General, I desire to second the nomination of a man that has been mentioned here. He is known to every member of this organization as one of its hardest workers, and

as a man who has accomplished largely what has been done in Congress in the bringing forward and making a success of measures we have presented before Congress. I second the nomination of Commander J. H. Moore, of Washington.

Mr. Dewey: Vermont seconds the nomination of Mr. R. C. Ballard Thruston, with other nominees.

Colonel Guthrie: For the Pennsylvania Society I desire to second the nomination of Mr. Butler, of Ohio.

(On motion, nominations were ordered closed.)

The Secretary General announced the following as being in nomination for the office of Vice-President:

Commander John H. Moore, of Washington, D. C.

George O. Dix, of Indiana.

Joseph G. Butler, Jr., of Ohio.

Gen. Irving Hale, of Colorado.

Rogers Clark Ballard Thruston, of Kentucky.

On motion of Mr. Moores, of Indiana, the Secretary General was directed to cast the affirmative ballot of the Society for the five gentlemen named for Vice-Presidents General. This was done and the Chair declared these gentlemen duly elected.

In this connection the Chair announced that the Constitution required that the order of precedence of the Vice-Presidents-elect should be determined by lot. On motion of Mr. Wentworth, the several gentlemen who had nominated the various Vice-Presidents-elect were selected to represent them in drawing for position, which drawing was conducted by the Secretary General with the following result:

(1) Joseph G. Butler, Jr., of Ohio; represented by Colonel Mack.
(2) Gen. Irving Hale, of Colorado; represented by Dr. Guyer.
(3) R. C. Ballard Thruston, of Kentucky; represented by Mr. Pugsley.
(4) George O. Dix, of Indiana; represented by Mr. Starr.
(5) Commander John H. Moore, of the District of Columbia; represented by Colonel Thompson.

The President General: The next officer necessary to be elected—the filling of which office gives us a great deal of anxiety every year—is that of Secretary General. (Laughter.) The Chair will entertain nominations for Secretary General.

Colonel Guthrie: I nominate Mr. A. Howard Clark, of Washington, D. C., for Secretary General, and move that nominations be closed.

(This motion was seconded by Colonel RoBards, of Missouri, and others, and carried.)

The President General: The Chair will entertain a motion that a ballot be cast.

Mr. Curtis: I move that the Secretary General be excused from the necessity of voting for himself.

Colonel Guthrie: I move that the President General cast that ballot for the Society.

(Motion seconded and carried.)

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: The ballot has been carried for Mr. Clark as Secretary General, and he will take notice that the instructions are that he shall not make a speech, but shall have permission to print.

Mr. CLARK: Gentlemen, I thank you. (Laughter.)

(The Chair invited nominations for Registrar General, and Mr. Paine, of Missouri, nominated Mr. A. Howard Clark to succeed himself. On motion, nominations were closed, and the President General was directed to cast the ballot of the Congress electing Mr. Clark to this office. This was done, and the President General announced that the ballot had been cast.)

Mr. CLARK: Again I thank you. (Laughter.)

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: The next office to be filled is that of Treasurer General. The Chair will be glad to hear nominations.

Mr. WENTWORTH: Mr. President General, three years ago, at Buffalo, I had the honor of nominating Mr. Secor for the office of Treasurer General, a member of the Iowa State Society. This year, as a reward for faithful service and efficient performance of duty, it gives me pleasure to present the name of John H. Burroughs, of the Empire State Society, to succeed himself. (Applause.)

On motion of Colonel Guthrie, nominations were closed, and the President General was directed to cast the ballot of the Society electing Mr. Burroughs to this office.

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: The ballot is cast with the greatest of pleasure, as I recognize in Mr. Burroughs his own successor and President of the Empire State Society. (Applause.)

Nominations for Historian General is the next order of business.

Dr. WHITAKER: We are little in weight in New Jersey, but we are earnest in endeavor. In view of the good work he has done, of which you have all known, and in view of the exhibits you have seen at the places of our meeting, as well as in view of his manifest fitness for the place, I venture to suggest the re-election of our present Historian, Mr. David L. Pierson.

Mr. CRANDON: I take the greatest pleasure, on behalf of the Massachusetts Society—and I believe of the nation—in seconding the nomination of the gentleman from New Jersey for Historian General.

Mr. BURROUGHS: A year ago I had the pleasure, as a native Jerseyman, of seconding the nomination of Mr. Pierson. As I still claim to be a Jerseyman, I want to second the nomination again this year.

Judge BEARDSLEY: There are some of our officers that we love for what they are, and others for what they do. David Pierson we love for what he is and for what he has done. I move, therefore, that the rules be suspended, and that the Secretary be authorized, on behalf of this Congress, to cast one affirmative ballot for Mr. Pierson to succeed himself in the office of Historian General.

It was so ordered, the Secretary General cast the ballot, as directed, and the President General declared Mr. Pierson duly elected to the office of Historian General.

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: The next business in order is the election of a Chaplain General. What is your pleasure?

Mr. VANDERCOOK: Our present Chaplain General was delayed in getting here from Chicago, and almost immediately received a telegram requiring his return. Therefore his stay was very brief. Next year, when the meeting time of this Congress will be later, he will be able to put in full time with us, and I take pleasure in nominating Rev. John Timothy Stone to succeed himself in the office of Chaplain General of this Society.

Dr. IGLEHART: I second that motion.

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: Are there any other nominations? If not, I will declare nominations closed.

Dr. HALSEY: I move that the rules be suspended, and that the Secretary cast the affirmative ballot of this Society electing Rev. Dr. Stone Chaplain General for the ensuing year.

(Motion seconded and carried.)

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: The ballot has been cast, and the Rev. Dr. Stone has been re-elected your Chaplain General.

The Chair will now recognize Mr. Stephenson, of Kentucky.

MONUMENT TO GEN. GEORGE ROGERS CLARK.

Mr. STEPHENSON, of Kentucky: Mr. President General, I wish to offer the following resolution:

WHEREAS Senator W. O. Bradley has introduced in the Congress of the United States a bill for an appropriation of $300,000 for the erection at Louisville, Ky., of a monument to the memory of General Geo. Rogers Clark:

Resolved, That the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, in annual Congress assembled at Louisville, Ky., heartily endorses the erection of such a monument to this great patriot of the American Revolution as a fitting recognition of his brilliant services, which were of immeasurable value to our country.

Col. ROBARDS, of Missouri: I arise to second that resolution, Mr. President General, under peculiar circumstances. I ask the indulgence of the Congress. On hearing the courteous and complimentary remarks of President General Marble respecting our golden wedding of a Son and Daughter of the American Revolution, my heart goes out to him, and I feel that he is not a Marble-hearted man. (Applause.)

Standing here in this noble assembly of men who stand for blood and lineage, I want to congratulate you on your principles. You can best serve your country in the domestic circle through your boys and girls, well born and well bred. You can give no dearer heritage to your country than the perpetuation of the pure blood of the men who achieved American Independence. This is a time to express our admiration of the men who achieved such wonderful success; it is no time for tears. I will tell you my connection with Gen. George Rogers Clark.

It was my privilege last June, 1910, in company with my friend Col.

Reuben T. Durrett, of this city, to tell him at his home what I had witnessed at Quincy, in our sister State of Illinois.

In May, 1909, I was an invited guest at the unveiling of a statue that the State of Illinois had erected to the memory of Gen. George Rogers Clark. Mr. Durrett said: "I would like to have been there; and knowing as I do your family history, and in consideration that your great-grandsire, Senator Hugh Logan, of Lincoln County, fought under him, I wish to present you this steel engraving of Gen. George Rogers Clark, with the expression of my personal consideration for you." That steel engraving now ornaments my law office. And because of the fact of being Kentucky born and Missouri bred, I stand here believing we can make no higher expression of the patriotism of our forefathers and the independence of our country than to vote for proper memorials to and recognition of the men who achieved it. We believe in George Rogers Clark as the Hannibal of the West—the general who, by the force of his arms and the heroism of his men, saved to us and added to our country the vast territory that stretches eastward to Pennsylvania, westward to the Mississippi, and northward from the Ohio River to the Great Lakes. And I wish to inform you, if you have not read of it, that there is inscribed on that statue these words, "A Son of Virginia, the Sword of Kentucky, the Saviour of Illinois." He was a son of Virginia because Virginia was bounded on the east by the ocean and on the west by the great Mississippi River. He was the sword of Kentucky because from the district of Kentucky he started the great movement to capture the northwest. He went to Richmond, Virginia, and applied there to Governor Patrick Henry for men and money to aid in this great project that his military genius had conceived. It was from here, almost on this spot where you stand, that famous expedition started out—an expedition by which, through the valor of Kentucky and the sons of the Old Dominion, that magnificent territory of five States was acquired, and remained in possession until the treaty in 1783, when the valor of Kentucky and Virginia was recognized in that treaty and that vast northwest territory became a part of the United States.

Now, I second the resolution, and hope we may have here a unanimous approval of it.

(There were calls of "Question!")

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: Gentlemen, you have heard the question called on the adoption of the resolution, which has been duly seconded. What is your pleasure? Those in favor of the resolution as presented will say "Aye."

(The resolution was unanimously adopted.)

ELECTION OF TRUSTEES.

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: The next thing in order will be the election of a Board of Trustees. The various State Societies nominate the Trustees, and in case of failure of any State to nominate its member of

the Board of Trustees, the President of the State Society is named as such. We will now hear the list of names that have been sent in from the various States for membership on the Board of Trustees.

The SECRETARY GENERAL: Several State Societies have filed nominees for Trustees, others have not sent in their list of names, and therefore the Presidents of their State Societies will serve.

Mr. DEWEY: I move that the Secretary be instructed to cast the one ballot of this Congress for the nominees as read.

(There were several seconds to this motion, and it was duly adopted.)

The Secretary General announced that he had cast the ballot as directed, and the President General declared the gentlemen whose names had just been read duly elected as a Board of Trustees of this Society.

The SECRETARY GENERAL: There is but one more motion to be made, that the Secretary General be instructed to cast the ballot of the Society for the Presidents of the State Societies as members of the Board of Trustees, where the Societies themselves have not presented names for that purpose.

(So moved by Mr. Thruston, duly seconded, and carried.)

(For names of Trustees see page 4 of present Year Book.)

VOTES OF THANKS.

Mr. CURTIS: Mr. President General, we have enjoyed, and the Society has enjoyed, a most prosperous year. We have had a Congress that I think has never been exceeded, and probably it will be a long while before we have any one as good as this. And that has been due not only to the ability and efficiency of our Committee on Arrangements and of our local committees, all of whom have contributed largely to the success of this Congress, but a part of it has been due to your unfailing efforts, sir. The work you have done in connection with the Executive Committee has been tremendous. We know you have done everything for the Society that it is possible for any man to have done. And before we adjourn here, I want this Congress to pass a vote of thanks to our retiring President General Marble, and I ask the Secretary General to take the sense of this meeting by a rising vote. (Applause.)

Colonel MACK: I want to second that resolution, but I want to add a word to it. A wonderful thing about this organization and this Congress has been the peace and harmony that have prevailed (applause); and it has been due to the happy manner in which the President has presided over our deliberations. (Applause.) He has stopped the talk in such a pleasant way that the speaker who had not emptied his bottle sat down and carried the rest home with him. (Laughter.)

Down here in this State of Kentucky there was once an old darky preacher, who notified Sambo that he was going to preach a powerful sermon on the following Sunday on the subject of "Peace from Heaven

in the Form of a Dove." There was a little hole in the ceiling in the church above the congregation, and the old preacher said to Sambo, "I want you to get up there in the loft, and when I am in the midst of my sermon, and have got the brothers and sisters worked up good and strong, I want you to let that white dove down through that hole." Sambo agreed, and the preacher got up on the appointed day and began his sermon; and finally he got them all worked up, and he got to the point where he said, "And the peace of God is coming down on you like a white dove from heaven." He looked up, and there he saw, not a white dove coming down, but a black cat coming through the hole in the ceiling. (Laughter.) The old preacher was dumbfounded, but he gathered himself and he said, "Sambo, where is my white dove?" And Sambo sung out, "In the cat!" (Laughter and applause.)

Now, when I got here I looked around for our friend, Ballard Thruston, and I said to him, "Have you got any black cats lurking around in your back yard?" and he says, "There is one;" and I says, "Go and kill it, so the dove won't be swallowed up." (Laughter.)

Major ARMES: I want to amend the motion as made to the effect that all the retiring officers be included in this vote.

The SECRETARY GENERAL: Gentlemen, you have heard the motion of Mr. Curtis, of Connecticut. Those in favor of it will please rise.

(The motion was unanimously adopted.)

PRESIDENT GENERAL MARBLE: Gentlemen, I return to you my most hearty thanks for the compliment you have paid me; but more especially do I thank you for the courtesies you have shown me during the past year. As I said in my annual report, I now return to the ranks, and you will find me at all the succeeding Congresses, and ready to fight as in the past. (Applause.)

And now, gentlemen of the Congress, I take pleasure in turning over to my successor the insignia of office.

(Suiting the action to the word, President General Marble pinned the President's badge on the coat of President General-elect Parker.)

There being no further business before the meeting, the Twenty-second Annual Congress of the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, on motion of Colonel Guthrie, of Pennsylvania, was declared by the Chair to be adjourned *sine die*.

MINUTES OF MEETING OF EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE, APRIL 30, 1911.

A meeting of the Executive Committee, duly called by order of the President General, was held at the Seelbach Hotel, Louisville, Ky., at 9 p. m., April 30, 1911. Present: President General Marble, who presided; Mr. Curtis, Colonel Mack, Doctor Parker, Mr. Wentworth, and the Secretary General. The attendance of Judge Atwater and Judge Stockbridge was prevented by imperative judicial duties.

The minutes of the meeting of the Committee in New York City, on November 19, were approved as printed in the December OFFICIAL BULLETIN.

The action of the President General in issuing charters to new Societies in North Dakota, South Dakota, North Carolina, South Carolina, and the Philippines was formally approved.

It was voted that the Executive Committee recommend to the Congress the adoption of an amendment to Article VII, Section 1, of the Constitution of the National Society, changing the date of the Annual Congress as proposed by the Arkansas Society, through notice duly issued. The section to be amended by striking out the words "thirtieth day of April or on the first day" and insert in lieu thereof the words "third Monday" so that the section shall read as follows:

SEC. 1. The Annual Congress of the National Society for the election of officers and for the transaction of business shall be held on the third Monday of May in each year. The place of such meeting shall be designated by the Board of Trustees.

It was voted that Rear Admiral George W. Baird be requested to ascertain, through the Ambassador of France in Washington, whether the incorporation of the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution by act of Congress approved June 9, 1906, would make its status such that its members would be permitted to wear the rosette and badge in France under existing law.

It was voted that it be recommended to the Annual Congress to remit to the Delaware Society its indebtedness to the National Society for per capita dues of certain delinquent members who have now been dropped from the roll, the roll having been fully revised and the National Society dues for all present members having been paid to date.

It was voted that the Executive Committee give its moral support to a proposition of ex-President Joseph G. Butler, Jr., of the Ohio Society, to purchase the ancestral home of the Washington family in England.

The Committee discussed various reports from National Committees and questions of interest to the welfare of the Society to be considered by the Annual Congress, but without further formal action the Committee then, at 10.30 p. m., adjourned.

A. HOWARD CLARK,
Secretary General.

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF BOARD OF TRUSTEES, MAY 1, 1911.

A meeting of the Board of Trustees, duly called by direction of the President General, was held at the Seelbach Hotel, at 9.15 a. m., May 1, 1911. Present: President General Marble, who presided; Vice-Presidents General Thurston and Dewey, Secretary General Clark, Treasurer General Burroughs, Historian General Pierson, Mr. Williams, of Colorado; Mr. Curtis, of Connecticut; Rear Admiral Baird, of the District of Columbia; Mr. Wentworth, of Iowa; Mr. Danforth, of Kentucky; Mr. Henry, of Michigan; Mr. Pugsley, of New York, and Colonel Guthrie, of Pennsylvania; also Mr. Crandon, of Massachusetts, and Dr. Guyer, of Colorado, and other compatriots.

The minutes of the meeting of the Board held at Toledo, Ohio, May 3, 1910, were approved as printed in the May OFFICIAL BULLETIN and in the National Year Book for 1910.

It was voted that the Board approve the action of the Executive Committee and the President General in issuing, in the name of the Trustees, charters for the organization of new Societies in North Dakota, South Dakota, North Carolina, South Carolina, and the Philippines.

It was voted to endorse the action of the Executive Committee in recommending that the date of the Annual Congress be changed to the third Monday in May, and the Board also endorsed other recommendations of that committee at its meeting on April 30 and formally approved all action of the Executive Committee at its meetings on May 4 and November 20, 1910, and April 30, 1911.

After informal discussion of business to come before the Annual Congress, the meeting adjourned at 9.45 o'clock.

A. HOWARD CLARK,
Secretary General.

MINUTES OF MEETING OF BOARD OF TRUSTEES, MAY 3, 1911.

A meeting of the Board of Trustees elected by the Annual Congress at its session on Wednesday morning, May 3, duly called by the President General, was held at the Seelbach Hotel, at 11.45 a. m., May 3, 1911. Present: President General Parker, who presided; Vice-President General Thruston, of Kentucky; Mr. Curtis, of Connecticut; Colonel Thompson, of the District of Columbia; Mr. Wentworth, of Iowa; Mr. Crandon, of Massachusetts; Mr. Pugsley, of New York; Colonel Guthrie, of Pennsylvania; Mr. Dewey, of Vermont; Mr. Wood, of Kentucky; Colonel Mack, of Ohio, and others.

It was voted that the following appropriations be made for the ensuing year:

Contribution toward expenses of the Twenty-third Annual Congress, $500; for printing and distributing the OFFICIAL BULLETIN, not to ex-

ceed $1,800; for printing and distributing the National Year Book for 1911, not to exceed $1,000; for translation and printing of leaflets and for other necessary expenses of the Committee on Information for Aliens, not to exceed $500; for necessary expenses of the Committee on Prevention of Desecration of the Flag, not to exceed $50; for expenses of the Committee on Education, including engravings of the Declaration of Independence and of Trumbull's painting of the Signing of the Declaration, to be sold to State Societies for presentation to public schools, not to exceed $500.

It was also voted to compensate the Secretary General and Registrar General for his services and necessary office expenses and expenses of attendance at the Annual Congress and meetings of the Executive Committee and Board of Trustees as during the past year.

It was voted that the selection of the place of meeting of the Twenty-third Congress, in May, 1912, be left to the Executive Committee with power to act.

The thanks of the Board of Trustees were voted to the Illinois Society for its invitation extended to the National Society to hold the Twenty-fourth Congress, in May, 1913, in the city of Chicago, and to the California Society for its invitation to hold the Twenty-sixth Annual Congress, in May, 1915, in the city of San Francisco.

The Board considered the resolution offered by Judge Hancock and adopted by the Congress on May 2, providing for the return of certificates by members dropped for non-payment of dues, and it was voted that the Secretary General and the Registrar General be and are hereby directed to carry into effect the requirements of the said resolution. The Registrar General was further ordered to give notice that after October 31, 1911, no applications for membership would be accepted by the National Society except such as conform to the standard form of blank as now authorized by the Board of Trustees.

The President General presented the following nominations for members of the National Executive Committee, and they were thereupon approved by the Board: Moses Greeley Parker, M. D., President General, Chairman *ex officio;* Mr. William Allen Marble, of New York; Col. Isaac F. Mack, of Ohio; Mr. Lewis Beers Curtis, of Connecticut; Mr. Elmer M. Wentworth, of Iowa; Mr. R. C. Ballard Thruston, of Kentucky, and Mr. Edwin S. Crandon, of Massachusetts.

It was voted that the President General be authorized to refer to the Executive Committee for its action any matters incident to the Louisville Congress not acted upon by the Trustees and such new business as in the judgment of the President General may not require the action of the Board of Trustees.

There being no further business the meeting then, at 12.10 p. m., adjourned.

A. Howard Clark,
Secretary General.

MINUTES OF MEETING OF EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE, MAY 3, 1911.

A meeting of the members of the Executive Committee nominated by the President General and approved by the Trustees on May 3, 1911, was duly called by the President General and assembled at the Seelbach Hotel, Louisville, Ky., at 12.15 p. m., May 3, 1911. Present: President General Parker, who presided; Mr. Curtis, Mr. Crandon, Colonel Mack, Mr. Wentworth, and the Secretary General.

It was voted that the selection of the place of meeting of the Congress of 1912 be referred to the President General with power to act, and that he be authorized to appoint a Committee on Arrangements for that Congress.

The Committee discussed a resolution referred by the Annual Congress for consideration and action, recommending that the Congress of the United States erect a suitable memorial to General Henry Lee, "Light Horse Harry," of Virginia, the valiant cavalry officer of the War of the Revolution, and it was voted that the Secretary General be instructed to ascertain the facts in regard to the burial place of General Lee, and what steps had so far been taken to erect a memorial to that officer, and to report thereon to the Executive Committee at its next meeting.

It was voted that the President General be empowered to act for the Executive Committee in matters not already acted upon that may need attention after the proceedings of the Louisville Congress and of the Trustees' meeting and Executive Committee meeting of this date have been written up.

The Secretary General announced that a compatriot had again offered to present a gold ceremonial badge of the Society, to be awarded to the State Society that during the coming year shall enroll in proportion to its membership the greatest number of sons of present members. It was voted to accept the offer with the thanks of the Committee.

The Committee then informally considered various routine matters and measures to promote the growth and broaden the influence of the Society. There being no further business the Committee then, at 12.45 p. m. adjourned.

A. Howard Clark,
Secretary General.

SOCIAL FUNCTIONS AT LOUISVILLE CONGRESS.

At 4.30 o'clock, Sunday afternoon, April 30, delegates were invited to divine service in Christ Church Cathedral, conducted by Very Rev. Charles Ewell Craik, Dean of the Cathedral and Chaplain of the Kentucky Society, assisted by the Rev. Richard L. McCready.

The Rev. Mr. McCready spoke on the subject of "International Arbitration and Consequent Universal Peace." He said that it is no

longer a Utopian dream—that public sentiment the world over is in favor of the idea—and he expressed the hope that the Sons of the American Revolution at their present Congress would declare themselves in favor of it.

Delegates were presented with personal cards extending to them the courtesies of the Pendennis Club, the Tavern Club, and the Louisville Country Club during their stay in Louisville.

On Monday afternoon, at 12.15 o'clock, ladies of the party were invited to the Louisville Country Club for luncheon, after which they were taken on a motor trip, stopping at "Landsdowne," the residence of Mrs. S. Thruston Ballard, for tea.

On Monday evening, from 8 to 10 o'clock, the officers, delegates, and accompanying ladies were entertained by a reception at the Pendennis Club, Mrs. George Lewis Danforth, wife of the President of the Kentucky Society, as chairman of a committee of ladies, serving as hostess on this occasion.

On Tuesday, at 12.30 p. m., the delegates were taken in motors to the Louisville Country Club, where there was a buffet luncheon, after which they were shown some of the country east of Louisville, stopping at "Landsdowne" for refreshments.

At 4 p. m. the visiting ladies were entertained at tea by Mrs. Gilmer Speed Adams at her residence.

At 7.30 p. m. the Kentucky Society entertained the general officers and delegates with a banquet, and at the same time there was a banquet for the accompanying ladies, both at the Seelbach Hotel.

BANQUET AT THE SEELBACH HOTEL.

The retiring President General, Mr. Marble, presided as toastmaster.

The first speaker of the evening was Gen. Basil Wilson Duke, of Kentucky, whom Toastmaster Marble introduced as one the mere mention of whose name in the newspapers during the Civil War had "brought terror to the hearts of all of us young fellows in the North," but whom they were equally glad to welcome now and clasp by the hand.

ADDRESS BY GEN. BASIL WILSON DUKE ON GEN. GEORGE ROGERS CLARK.

Mr. Toastmaster and Compatriots, Ladies and Gentlemen: If I ever have inspired any terror in any one, it certainly must have been in "the newspapers." However, that is a matter about which I am free to confess that many a time the other fellow has inspired terror in me. (Laughter.) But that time is all past now; "the sword has been beaten into the plowshare"—I forget the rest of it—and we have shaken hands over the "bloody chasm." (Laughter and applause.)

When, Mr. Toastmaster, we reflect upon the inception, the initiatory phases of that "hard contest for freedom and struggle for independence," for whose splendid consummation Americans can scarcely be

sufficiently grateful, it is difficult to determine which of the Colonial peoples earliest felt the impulse resulting in achievement so mighty, or who among the sages and heroes whose names we so revere first gave it definite expression.

When James Otis, in Massachusetts, manfully opposed the execution of the writs of assistance, and Patrick Henry, in Virginia, thundered against the Stamp Act, each voiced the feeling not only of his own immediate Colony, but that of the people of all the Colonies.

When on the 5th of September, 1774, the first Continental Congress assembled at Philadelphia, it was in obedience to a general demand and almost universal sentiment, simultaneously expressed.

When on the 19th of April, 1775, that "shot which was heard around the world" rang out at Concord, it fired a mine already fully charged, sounded the note of predetermined revolution, and heralded action for which every patriotic heart was prepared. In quick succession, with a celerity which proved how ready and how eager all were for the trial, every Colony responded with some act indicative of passionate sympathy or stern defiance of the hated British rule, and the slogan of resistance resounded throughout the land, as when in some army arrayed for battle the roar of the signal gun is answered by the firing all along the line.

It is not easy, therefore, I say, to determine to which particular individual or Colony may be ascribed the credit of having inaugurated the struggle out of which a heritage so glorious has come.

But if we can make no such selection among the authors of our independence—among those who made possible the adoption of institutions in which, we think, are blended liberty and law, the rights of the individual and the just obligations of citizenship, more wisely than was ever known before—there can be, I believe, no such difficulty in indicating those to whom should be accorded the distinction of having done that which, more than aught else, assured the future growth and material grandeur, the territorial expansion of this Republic; that which enabled the United States, having been established, to attain their subsequent almost unexampled power and prosperity.

Such recognition is unquestionably due George Rogers Clark (applause) and the two eminent Virginians who, appreciating his daring genius, gave him cordial sympathy and encouragement—they could give him little material aid—in what we are almost justified in terming his inspired adventure.

In explanation of this statement, I may be permitted to briefly sketch the conditions existing at the date when Clark undertook the expedition which has been aptly designated the "Conquest of the Illinois."

After the termination of the French and Indian War, by which conflict was finally ended the long and fierce debate between France and England regarding which of those nations should dominate this continent, France relinquished to England not only the Canadas, but all of the territory she had previously claimed east of the Mississippi, except a few small islands in the Gulf of the St. Lawrence and the island on

which New Orleans is situated. New Orleans and all of the territory she had claimed west of the Mississippi, France ceded to Spain.

Emigration from the Colonies on the Atlantic by those seeking new homes in the wilderness at once began. Directed at first to more contiguous territory, it was later attracted, by the glowing accounts of their extraordinary fertility, to lands lying beyond the Alleghanies. Kentucky and Tennessee, previously visited only by explorers and hunters, were entered by bands of immigrants resolved on permanent settlement.

This territory had long been the favorite hunting ground of many Indian tribes; of the fierce clans which dwelt north of the Ohio, and of others belonging to the powerful Cherokee confederacy, which lived farther to the south. Settlement in this region, therefore, was not only difficult, but attended with extreme danger. The jealousy and suspicion always felt by the red man towards the white had been inflamed by the recent events of Lord Dunmore's War into implacable hatred and fury. Moreover, Indian animosity against the white settlers was now stimulated by the English, as it had formerly been by the French.

In 1774 all of the territory included in the great triangle between the Mississippi River and the Ohio had been, by order of the Council, annexed to the Province of Quebec, and shortly after the beginning of the Revolutionary War Colonel Hamilton, the British commander at Detroit, organized the northwestern tribes and incited them to attacks upon the new settlements south of the Ohio. This fiendish policy had such effect that at the close of the year 1776 these incursions had become so frequent and so unusually relentless that the whites had almost given up hope of maintaining their ground. So incessant were they, in the latter part of 1776, during 1777, and part of 1778, that the settlers were almost constantly confined to the limits of their stockaded forts, and a few, abandoning the struggle, returned to their former homes east of the Appalachian Range.

In this dire extremity they were saved by the sagacity, the vigor, the dauntless courage of George Rogers Clark. Born in Albemarle County, Virginia, Clark, when he came first to Kentucky, in 1775, was barely twenty-three years of age. His occupation was that of land surveyor, but he had some military experience, having commanded a company at the battle of Point Pleasant—that battle which, as many of you remember, was an epoch in itself, by which the great tribes of the Wyandottes, Shawanese, and Delawares were completely crushed and their hostility quenched for the time being. At any rate, he was a born captain and leader of men.

In addition to sound, clear judgment, an unusually audacious and enterprising spirit, and capacity for prompt, unhesitating decision, he possessed those physical traits and the personal prowess so necessary to leadership among rude and reckless backwoodsmen, more than half of whose lives had been passed in battle.

When Clark, having returned to Virginia for some reason, came back to Kentucky, in the latter part of 1776, he at once perceived the

danger and the remedy. He realized that the Kentucky settlements, so few in number and scanty in population, so isolated from each other and remote from all support, must inevitably be destroyed if the attacks of the Indians were systematically continued. Already the tide of immigration had been checked. He saw, sooner and more clearly than any one else, that the wild nature of the Indian was being controlled by an influence which could give it methodical direction and teach persistent effort to his bloody hostility. He saw behind the savage the English commander at Detroit, who furnished him with arms and ammunition and paid him a bounty for scalps, and the bitter scorn and anger with which Clark spoke of that "hair-buying Hamilton" evinced both his feeling and his purpose.

In only one way could the danger be minimized and the settlements be saved, and that was by going into the enemy's country and striking down the malign power which was impelling the red warriors upon the warpath. And it was that which Randolph had in mind when he bestowed upon Clark the appellation which so aptly described his military character—the "Hannibal of the West."

Clark proceeded again to Virginia and submitted his plan to Patrick Henry and Thomas Jefferson. Both warmly approved it. It especially appealed to the fiery heart of Henry; for he,

> "The forest-born Demosthenes,
> Whose thunder tamed the tyrant of the seas,"

rejoiced at any opportunity of striking a blow at the enemy.

But Virginia was at that time herself very much straitened, and was straining her every resource to the utmost to protect her immediate territory and furnish men and munitions to the army of Washington. All, therefore, that Governor Henry could do for Clark was to give him a commission as major, authority to enlist troops, five hundred pounds of gunpowder, and a small sum of money with which to purchase a few military supplies.

When we think of the elaborate and costly equipment of modern armies, and of how such an expedition would now be fitted out, this meager resistance, however well meant, seems almost a mockery. But with abundant pluck and hope he undertook the task. It was like the son of Jove and Alcumena going forth with only his club and lion-skin to perform the mighty labors commanded from Olympus, and in his six feet four inches of stalwart manhood Clark, another youthful Hercules, started on a mission also destined to shape into concrete form and expression the will and purpose of the gods. (Applause.)

It was not until May 27, 1778, that he was able to assemble the men he could enlist, about one hundred and fifty in number, at the falls of the Ohio. This force was composed of four companies, commanded by Captains Joseph Bowman, Leonard Helm, William Harrod, and John Montgomery. Pardon me, gentlemen from other States, but we Kentuckians are proud of these names and cannot well omit them. (Applause.) Simon Kenton, one of the typical pioneers, and compeer

and almost the equal of Boone in reputation and prowess, was the guide and hunter for the expedition. Clark, embarking his men on flat-boats on the 24th of June, descended the Ohio to a point on the Illinois shore nearly opposite the mouth of the Tennessee River, and thence marched across forest and prairie to Kaskaskia. He surprised and took that village and the fort near by on the night of July 4. That was the first occasion, undoubtedly, upon which the Fourth of July was ever celebrated in Illinois. (Applause and laughter.) But it was the precursor of many such celebrations, perhaps through centuries to come, and certainly throughout all the broad lands upon which the sun looks down in its course, from the shores of the Atlantic until its sinking splendors gleam on the waters of the great Pacific Ocean. (Applause.) Two days later Captain Bowman, with a small detachment, took Cahokia, and Vincennes surrendered August 1. Three of the English strongholds and centers of Indian hostility had been captured. Clark, however, was unable to adequately garrison these places, as his men were only enlisted for a short period of time, and he was compelled to listen to their demands to go back to Kentucky and assist in the defense of their own homes; and, relying on the friendship of the French inhabitants—and he did so with justice—left only one man with Captain Helm at Vincennes, so that that place was retaken in December by the British commandant at Detroit. Late in January Colonel Vigo, of St. Louis,, brought Clark this news, informing him also that Hamilton had then only eighty men, but expected to be reinforced early in the spring, when he intended to march into Kentucky with an overwhelming force. Clark at once resolved to act upon this intelligence; but his small command was widely dispersed, and it was necessary to collect some supplies.

In that day of difficult communication and more difficult transportation, all this necessitated delay. Nevertheless, on the 7th of February, nine days after he had learned of its recapture, he was on his way to Vincennes. It was the middle of a terrible winter. All the region for many miles around Vincennes and through which Clark must march was flooded and alternately a quagmire or an ice-field. Hamilton believed himself safe. He did not know the man with whom he had to deal.

That march to Vincennes is almost without a parallel, even in the annals of pioneer hardship and endurance. For days the men waded shoulder deep through the icy waters, and slept at night on the few hillocks which were not submerged. With little food, with little fuel to provide fires, they pushed unflinchingly on, sustained more than anything else by the iron will and buoyant spirit of their leader. Clark reached Vincennes on February 24 and immediately began the siege. Hamilton asked a parley, but it was sternly refused, and he surrendered the next day.

The immediate effect of this expedition was an almost total cessation, for nearly two years, of Indian incursions into Kentucky. During that period immigration, which had been previously checked, poured

rapidly in, and when hostilities were actively renewed, in 1780, the settlers were strong enough to maintain themselves. (Applause.)

Many have believed with Theodore Roosevelt (applause) that, had the settlements in Kentucky and Tennessee been destroyed and the settlers massacred or driven back beyond the Alleghanies—and but for Clark's expedition they would almost certainly have been destroyed—that region would have remained permanently in English possession, and the American Republic would never have been extended beyond the limits of the thirteen original Colonies. I believe that history will accept this conclusion.

Is it probable that England, had she been in undisputed possession not only of the Canadas, but of all the territory between the Alleghanies and the Mississippi at the date when the struggle closed, would have consented to the terms of the treaty of peace of 1783, by which she surrendered that vast territory to the United States? Is it conceivable that the United States, then so restricted in population and resources, could have wrested it from England by another war?

Is it not easier to believe that England, still holding this territory, with the Canadas, would have continued to be a dangerous and menacing foe in our immediate vicinity, not only retarding our growth, but threatening our safety?

England's pride and prestige had been wounded, but she had suffered little material injury by her defeat in America. She was still mighty in arms; indeed, more formidable than ever, in her almost limitless resources.

In any event, perhaps, this continent would have been developed to the same extent that we witness today, but it might have been done under English and not American auspices. The greater part of it—like India, Australia, and Africa—might have become tributary to her colonizing genius and imperial dominion. Spain, in impotent decrepitude, would have yielded her Louisiana, which France could never have regained; and Kipling might perhaps have added New Orleans and San Francisco to that choir of stately cities which, in his ringing verse, chant on so many shores and oceans the praise and testimony of England's wide-reaching sway. (Applause.)

In this connection, my friends, I trust I may be pardoned for calling attention to three notable occasions upon which Virginia expressed and emphasized the American determination that there never should be permitted autocratic rule or alien occupation upon this continent: First, at the beginning of the Revolution; second, during that period, and third, in the post-Revolutionary period. First, when she protested so promptly and so boldly against the imposition of the Stamp Tax and resisted its payment; second, when she sent George Rogers Clark forth on this eventful expedition into the wilderness of the West, and third, when Jefferson, by the Louisiana Purchase, made it impossible thenceforth for any inimical foreign influence to be exerted upon this continent. (Applause.) Without forgetting the glorious history of her sister States, and with no desire to make invidious comparison, I think

we may well render this tribute to that valiant Commonwealth "whose well-lab'ring sword hath three times slain the semblance of the King."

Did Clark, and Henry, and Jefferson realize the full meaning of their work? No human mind could then have done so. They were building better than they knew. But they understood—Clark best of all—that they must do this work to protect and save their brethren who had gone forth to subdue the wilderness; and we cannot help believing that Henry's strong sense and Jefferson's prophetic intellect had some glimpse and forecast of the wondrous future. (Applause.)

Clark served his country, in after years, well and faithfully, and died in poverty and solitude. In his distress he applied to Virginia for aid—some small donation or grant of land. The Legislature of Virginia voted him the gift of a sword. He declined it, saying: "When Virginia needed swords, I gave her mine; now that I need bread, she offers me a sword."

He lies in an obscure and almost unnoted grave; but the wide and mighty West and its ever-increasing greatness is his real and fitting monument. (Great applause, long continued, the Congress rising as one man.)

ADDRESS BY REV. W. W. LANDRUM ON THE CLERGY IN THE REVOLUTION.

The Reverend W. W. Landrum, D. D., of the Broadway Baptist Church, Louisville, was the next speaker, and began by saying that so much had been said, and so well said, that he would not presume to trespass upon the patience of his audience for any considerable length of time; that, like most of the railway systems of the country, he was blessed with fair "terminal facilities" (laughter), and had no desire to place himself in the attitude of the minister who, after a long and prosy discourse, began his peroration with the question, "What shall I say more?" and thereby moved a little girl in his congregation, already weary and worn from his long sermon, to remark to her mother, "Tell him to say 'Amen!'" (Laughter.) Dr. Landrum then continued:

War, said the late William Tecumseh Sherman, is—well, quite a different place from that country where you, compatriots, hope to have that great Congress by and by. The Revolution, of course, was war, and doubtless it had in it many of those elements which General Sherman described as belonging to a warmer country. Notwithstanding that fact, however, the clergy of the original Thirteen Colonies were almost unanimously in favor of it. They were, to be sure, the servants of the Prince of Peace, and they were sometimes reminded that their attitude was entirely inconsistent with their calling. The answer which they made to their consciences and to their country was something after this fashion: "We are men of peace; we believe in peace; we are very anxious to promote peace in every possible way; in fact, we are determined to have peace, if we have to fight for it!" (Laughter and applause.)

Washington, at the very outset of the Revolution, appreciated the services to be rendered to their country by the ministry. He believed that no army would ever move forward to victory that was not swayed by lofty conviction—a conviction which involved not only the judgment and the conscience and the will, but the affections also. At the outset of the war, there was a chaplain for every regiment. The General-in-Chief required his troops promptly at the appointed hour on every Lord's day to attend public worship, provided the weather and other conditions were favorable. Care was taken that the surgeon of each regiment should discover and immediately relieve an illness known at the time as "morbus sabbaticus," or "Sunday sickness" (laughter)—a disease which even now sometimes attacks, in our modern American cities, the sons of our sires. (Laughter and applause.)

Congress, in 1777, made some slight change in the status of chaplains, reducing their number, but putting a higher value upon their services by raising their rank. In 1778 there were twenty-one brigadier-chaplains or chaplains, each one assigned to a brigade. It was especially required that the men chosen should be recommended to the high office by the brigadier general, and that they should possess character, courage and devotion to the cause of the Colonies. Congress approved the nomination of the general, and the appointee enjoyed the rank and full pay of a colonel of infantry. We Kentuckians have always loved colonels—we have made colonels of you tonight! (Laughter.) It is a land—

"Where the corn is full of kernels,
And the colonels are full of corn."

(Laughter and applause.) The chaplains of that day were men of influence. They were more potential in arousing the spirit of the men, many times, than the beat of drum or the roll of musketry. As a rule, they took their texts from the Old Testament, having great care to single out and expound such passages as best suited their purposes. The experiences of the children of Israel in Egypt, under the hard rule of Pharaoh, described the condition of our ancestors. Washington, like Moses, was always the master. The war itself was the wilderness through which they were passing to the happy land of Canaan. To illustrate their style of preaching in those days, a story is told of a soldier of Virginia who went to one of these old chaplains after he had listened to his sermon one day, and said: "Chaplain, up to the time I heard you, I knew very little of God, and less of the devil; but since hearing you, I have come to the conclusion that I ought to love both, and to pray that both should be on our side." (Laughter and applause.)

It seems to me eminently fitting that this Congress should have held its first meeting on the Lord's Day, marching two by two from this hostelry to Christ Church Cathedral for the worship of Almighty God. (Applause.) There, our own beloved Chaplain, Dean Craik, of the Cathedral (applause), had prepared for you an inspiring choral service that could not have been surpassed in any cathedral in this country (applause), and there Compatriot McCready delivered a noble discourse

properly befitting the occasion, and bringing before us a lofty conception of our duty in civic life today. (Cries of "Good!" and applause.) As I sat there in the house of God, I thought that if the spirits departed take cognizance of what is going on upon earth, the great Chapters and Congress up yonder at headquarters in heaven must have been pleased at such an inauguration of this Congress here.

We are not the men to deify our ancestors. We are not in favor of turning our faces backward and declaring that our fathers were unlike those of any other group of American citizens. But we are here to say that men are always wise when they look backward to see whether the ideals of the present reach up to those of the past. Our fathers were men of reverence. They believed in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth. They believed in a Lord's Day, which has been set apart for rest and for worship. They believed in the Church, which has always been the conscience of the community, and which, in every moral and intellectual movement, has set four-square to every wind that blows. (Cries of "Good!" and applause.)

We hear much in our day of the "new" theology, of the "new" science, of the "new" woman, and even of the "new" Ten Commandments. But we are the men who are pointing backward to the old theology, the old science—so far as it relates to civic government, to the old church, and to the old woman—if that term can ever be applied to woman. (Applause.) Our object is to conserve for the generations yet to come what was best in the past. (Applause.) Others may direct their attention at this time to the conservation of Alaskan coalfields, or to the water powers of the West, or to the mighty forests of the Appalachian Range; but ours be the task, compatriots, to preserve those principles which illuminated the minds of our forefathers, warmed their hearts and purified their lives. (Applause.) We believe that we are a nation of destiny. We believe that, like Israel of old, we have a world-wide mission. As we derive our culture from Greece and our law from Rome, so we received our righteousness from Israel. America has now reached a world-wide position: she fronts the East and the West. The sun never sets upon the soil of our country. We are looking towards the East and reaching out the hand of arbitration and international brotherhood. We reach our hand out towards the West, and seek to illustrate a nobler civilization in those vast empires that are just emerging from the slow civilization of the past. We are a people, therefore, that have a distinctly defined mission. Personally, I believe that each and every one of you, as a Son of the American Revolution, is as distinctly called of God to make America the civilizing nation of the world as I am to preach the Gospel. (Applause.) I am not here to debase the ministry or to drag it down to any position lower than that accorded it in Holy Scripture; but I am here to put my arms around all my fellow compatriots and lift them up to the same platform that I occupy, that they may understand that they are the ministers of God to transmit to generations yet to come, and to diffuse all over the world, those high principles which throbbed in the breasts of our Revolutionary sires. (Applause.)

"Oh who would not brave champions be
In this the lordliest chivalry!
For there are hearts that ache to see
The day dawn of our victory.
Fight, brothers, fight with tongue and pen;
We'll win the golden day again,
And love's millennial moon will rise,
O'er happy hearts and waiting eyes.
We will brave champions be
In this the lordliest chivalry.

And now my benediction: I lift up my hands over your heads, compatriots, and say to each and every one of you—The Lord love you, every one (the convention rises as one man); the Lord take you, every one—but not yet! (Laughter and applause.)

ADDRESS BY HON. W. W. STEPHENSON, OF HARRODSBURG, KY.

For patriotism and prompt decisive action, for strategic movement and dauntless courage, for masterly achievement and far-reaching result, Isaac Shelby and his associates, for their victory at King's Mountain, deserve to be remembered as heroes. This battle, planned and executed by Shelby, Sevier, Campbell, McDowell, Cleveland, Winston, and Williams as officers, and a small force of volunteer untrained mountain men, is memorable for having changed the face of the Revolution.

Five years had passed since that morning in April

"When once the embattled farmers stood,
And fired the shot heard round the world;"

But Independence was far from achievement. Clinton and Cornwallis, unvictorious in the North, had determined to strike a fatal blow in the South by attacking its chief city, Charleston, and then extend their victories throughout the southland. Charleston fell May 12, 1780. Camden and other strategic points of the interior soon followed. A policy of confiscation, coercion, cruelty, barbarity towards the patriots was adopted in order to crush the rebellious spirit. Whigs were forced, as far as possible, by bribery and threats to join the British Army. Patriot prisoners on parole were told to help the British or they must be "treated as rebels to the government of the King." O, human frailty! how few are strong to remain true to the losing side! The weak, and they are always many—were cowed into swearing allegiance. Clinton reported to the home government: "The inhabitants from every quarter, declare their allegiance to the King, and offer their services in arms. There are few men in South Carolina who are not our friends or in arms with us." Walpole said, "We look at America as at our feet." The storm of adversity lowered darkly over the patriot cause. The British expected now that North Carolina would be an easy prey and Georgia added without resistance. They calculated that with possession of the Carolinas, Georgia and New York, Virginia

could not maintain resistance, and the rebellion would be crushed. They held all of the strategic points. The humiliation of the Colonies seemed indeed inevitable. But west of the mountains of North Carolina and in Southwest Virginia dwelt a people hardy and brave and unswerving in principle who would not know despair or acknowledge defeat. These were Scotch-Irish, of whom Washington once said in the darkest moment of the Revolution, "That, if all others failed him, he would plant his standard on the Blue Ridge of Virginia, rally around him the people of the Valley, and make his last stand for the liberties of America."

From their mountain fastnesses under the leadership of Williams, Pickens, Sumpter and Marion—much in the manner of Scotch Highlanders—they harried the British Army.

Cornwallis had advanced by easy conquest until he reached Mecklenburg County, N. C., which had so early made its "Declaration of Independence;" but there he found himself in a hornet's nest. He then dispatched Col. Patrick Ferguson, a brave and skilful officer, to embody the loyalists beyond the Wateree and Broad rivers and intercept the mountain men and crush their power. Ferguson sent the word forward "that, if the officers west of the mountains did not lay down their opposition to the British arms, he would march his army over, burn and lay waste their country and hang their leaders." Shelby was in Kentucky surveying when the message of Ferguson reached him late in August. He immediately rode fifty or sixty miles to see Sevier and remained with him two days concerting plans. They determined to raise all the riflemen they could, march hastily through the mountains and surprise Ferguson. Sevier met with enthusiastic response in his work of arousing the bordermen; one-half of the men capable of bearing arms enlisted for active service, and the other half remained at home to protect the settlements.

Shelby secured the co-operation of Col. Wm. Campbell, of Washington County, Va., who raised four hundred men, and also that of McDowell. Notwithstanding Shelby had taken the initiative in organizing the little army to repel Ferguson, with unselfish patriotism he nominated Campbell for commander-in-chief, taking no thought for self or place, but for results that would save the day for the Colonies. Sycamore Shoals, on Watauga, was appointed the rendezvous, and the scene there September 25 was a memorable one. There were Shelby, Sevier, and McDowell as leaders and brave determined men to follow. "Never did mountain recess contain within it a loftier or a more enlarged patriotism; never a cooler or more determined courage." The little army moved the next morning because Shelby urged that prompt action was absolutely essential to success; and it was joined by other volunteers, until on the 30th it consisted of 3,000 men, whom Ferguson contemptuously denominated "dirty mongrels," but in whose veins flowed the blood of Scotch Covenanters, French Huguenots, and English Sea rovers—all animated with one purpose, the destruction of the marauders under Ferguson.

Ferguson, learning of the gathering storm of indignant, outraged patriots, began a hasty retreat towards the main army, sending ahead messengers, who were shot. Finding escape impossible, he selected Kings Mountain for defense, a range 1,700 feet high and half a mile in width, on the border between the Carolinas. The immense natural advantages of the position attest his genius. So secure did he feel that on the morning of the 7th he exclaimed, "Well, boys, here is a place from which all the rebels outside of hell cannot drive us!" At 3 o'clock the same day the American advance guard of 1,000 picked men arrived at the foot of the mountain. When within three miles of Ferguson's camp they met some unarmed men, from whom his exact position was ascertained and a plan of attack was agreed upon, which was to surround the eminence and make a simultaneous assault upon every part of it. They advanced, the right wing led by Sevier and Winston, the left by Cleveland and Williams, while Campbell on the right and Shelby on the left composed the center. Shelby and Campbell pushed up to near the crest, when Ferguson opened fire. They fell back slightly and then advanced nearer. The British charged with bayonets; but their ranks were galled by deadly flank fire, first from the division of Sevier and Winston, then from that of Cleveland and Williams and McDowell, while the center rallied and attacked now their flank. "Shelby, a man of the hardiest make, stiff as iron, among the dauntless singled out for dauntlessness, went right onward and upward, like a man who had but one thing to do, and but one thought, to do it." Thus entrapped, after an hour's desperate fighting, as the Americans closed in, Ferguson fell, and his successor demanded and received quarter. Of Ferguson's 1,125 men, 389 were killed or wounded, and the remainder surrendered. The Americans lost 20 killed and 60 wounded.

This brilliant victory resembled that at Bennington in its suddenness and completeness. The one was the forerunner of the surrender of Burgoyne, the other of that of Cornwallis. No battle of the war was more obstinately contested. The Americans were exasperated by the cruelties of the Tories. To the latter it was a question of life and death. The skill and gallantry of the officers and the valor of the men who won the victory were not surpassed during the war. The effect was far-reaching. The dark cloud which enveloped the South and entire country in gloom was dispelled. Cornwallis was forced to retreat. Thomas Jefferson said, "It was the joyful enunciation of that turn in the tide of success that terminated the Revolutionary War with the seal of our independence."

ADDRESS BY RIGHT REV. CHARLES E. WOODCOCK.

The Right Reverend Charles E. Woodcock, Bishop of the Diocese of Kentucky, was the final speaker of the evening, and the toastmaster introduced him as representing the "Tory element" of the Revolution, but for which there would have been no opportunity on the part of patriotic

Americans today to celebrate the Battle of Lexington, Bunker Hill, the Boston Tea incident, the Surrender of Cornwallis, the Declaration of Independence, or any other of the great anniversaries of our country's early history—no Sons of the American Revolution, and no Kentucky Society! (Laughter.)

Bishop Woodcock said:

Mr. Toastmaster, Ladies and Gentlemen: If it had not been for the Tories you would not have been here at all (applause); and if the Tories had exhibited half the courage that a descendant of the Tories exhibits in speaking here at this late hour, you would have been fighting still. (Applause and laughter.) But I realize that if I continue to speak you may feel somewhat like the man who married a widow, and being asked six months afterwards how he was getting along, replied: "I am a whole lot sorrier her husband is dead than she is." (Laughter and applause.)

Now, if there were time, I should like to give you a little good advice. What is good advice? That which old men give young men when they can no longer set them a bad example! (Great laughter and applause.) Though the descendant of a Tory, I am proud to be an American citizen. (Applause and cries of "Good.") I was born in America, and claim all the rights and privileges that you have. (Long applause.) While the Tories did not win the thing for which they fought, you are the witness that they did not fight in vain, for the Tories gave your forefathers of the Revolution a reason for existence, and the Sons of the American Revolution something to honor and commemorate. (Applause.) As I look over this goodly company, well-kept, well-appareled and well-fed, it would seem as though there had been no war since the American Revolution. (Laughter.) You need to spell that word "Revolution" differently: You need to drop the *R* and begin that word with an *E*—"Evolution." It is the evolution of brothers, who once fought on opposing sides, now welcoming each other in equality, liberty and fraternity! (Cries of "Good!" and great applause.)

Were there time I should take great pleasure in speaking to you on the pride of citizenship, on the worth of character, and on the love of country—and I would willingly dispute with you, Sons of the American Revolution, upon the question of love for this country, and the rights and liberties we enjoy here. (A voice: "Right you are!") The recollection of ancestry is the basis of national greatness; but I can see no reason for the existence of an organization like this, unless it contributes something to the country. It cannot live on family history. I know some people who have so many ancestors that they have quit work to look them up. (Laughter.) You men of affairs are prone to say, in speaking of what a man is worth, that a man is worth so many millions of dollars. He is not—he has merely got them. (Laughter and applause.) A man is worth no more in the United States than he contributes to the civic, moral and spiritual welfare of his country. (Cries of "Good!" and applause.) The sum total of the character of American

citizenship is an unimpeachable American manhood! (Great applause.) We welcome all peoples to this land, but we believe that America is good enough for Americans; and if there be those here who think otherwise, we will welcome their exit from this country. (Applause.) We need an American citizenship that can withstand the evil forces that work against us. We need big men, honest men, men that are true and loyal. We should not estimate them by what they may be worth in stocks and bonds, for it is a shoddy, plutocratic, un-American standard, to estimate a man by his money. (Applause.) I honor and admire and congratulate the man who has honestly accumulated money; and I don't care how much he has. A man has as much right to get rich as he has to live, and I have no sympathy with those who are so yellow-minded as to think because a man is rich there is something suspicious about him. But do not measure him by his money; measure him by what he would be if he had not a dollar in the world. (Applause.)

Now, then, we have a character to maintain. And what is character? A nation, like an individual, has character, and the sum of individual character makes the character of the nation at large. By its character, a nation will stand or fall. What is that character here? It is the combined, composite character of all the American people. It is not so strong as the strongest, and, thank God, it is not so weak as the weakest; it is the average character of the people. And so it is we need strong individual character, that the character of the nation may be likewise strong. A nation will be judged by the kind of people it turns out. The man we need is he who does not fail his brother, who does not shame his mother, the man who loves his country, home and God; that is the man we need in America. (Applause.)

If you would endow this land, but not by means of wealth alone; if you would make her strong, but not by army and navy alone; if you would give her honor in the eyes of all the nations, but not because of our national resources, our population or prosperity—if you would do all these things, let it be through and by a people who respect the law, and who would give their lives as they do their love for their country. Let this be the land where politics shall be a vocation, where public service shall be a personal honor, where the life of man is safe and the honor of woman is revered. And that land is our land, for, God bless her! it is America. (Great applause.) "God give us men! A time like this demands great hearts, true faith and willing hands. Men whom the lust of office does not kill. Men whom the spoils of office cannot buy. Men who possess opinions and a will; men of honor; men who will not lie; men who can stand before a demagogue and scorn his treacherous flatteries without winking. Tall men, sun-crowned, who live above the fog, in public duty and in private thinking." God give us such men. Men descendants of the fathers of the American Revolution! (Great and long-continued applause, the members rising to their feet.)

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ARIZONA SOCIETY.

HENRY B. CATE, Phœnix, Ariz. (18797). Son of George W. and Levara Serena (Brown) Cate; grandson of Isaac and Clarissa (McKnight) Cate; great-grandson of *Enoch Cate,* Corporal New Hampshire Troops, pensioned.

WILLIAM MARSTON SEABURY, Phœnix, Ariz. (18798). Son of William Jones and Alice Van Wyck (Beare) Seabury; grandson of Thomas Marston and Mary Susan (Saltonstall) Beare; great-grandson of Henry Martin and Charlotte (Young) Beare; great^2-grandson of William and Margaret (Marston) Young; great^3-grandson of Thomas and Cornelia (Lispenard) Marston; great^4-grandson of *Leonard Lispenard,* Member of New York Provincial Congress, 1775.

CHALMERS BARBOUR WOOD, Phœnix, Ariz. (12625). Son of E. B. and Helen Mary (Strother) Wood; grandson of French and Mary Pendleton (Browning) Strother; great-grandson of John and Helen (Piper) Strother, Jr.; great^2-grandson of *John Strother, Sr.,* Member of Culpeper County, Virginia, Committee of Safety.

ARKANSAS SOCIETY.

GEORGE WASHINGTON CLARK, Little Rock, Ark. (18856). Son of Ira and Fanny (Hobby) Clark; grandson of Gershom and Freelove (Bull) Clark; great-grandson of *Lemuel Clark,* private, Capt. David Tilden's Militia Company, Lebanon, Conn., April, 1775.

CHARLES JAMES JEWETT, Fort Smith, Ark. (18854). Son of Charles Frederick and Mary (Lynch) Jewett; grandson of Benjamin Tucker and Julia Ann (Mabbett) Jewett; great-grandson of Allyn and Abigail (Tucker) Jewett; great^2-grandson of Zabdial Rogers and Zibia (Rowe) Jewett; great^3-grandson of *Joseph Jewett,* Captain Seventeenth Conn. Continental Regt.

SAMUEL McCONAUGHY WASSELL, Little Rock, Ark. (18853). Son of Samuel S. and Bettie (McConaughy) Wassell; grandson of James W. and Albina (McRae) McConaughy; great-grandson of Donald and Margaret (Bracy) McRae; great^2-grandson of Jolly and Maria (Darrington) Bracy; great^3-grandson of John and Martha (Moore) Darrington; great^4-grandson of Isham and Nancy (Singleton) Moore; great^5-grandson of *Mathew Singleton,* Member of Continental Congress, 1774, Captain of Company of South Carolina Volunteers under General Marion.

CALIFORNIA SOCIETY.

ARTHUR STEPHENSON BUGBEE, San Francisco, Cal. (21548). Son of John Stephenson and Anna Maxwell (Greene) Bugbee; grandson of Nathaniel and Hannah Wells (Eldridge) Greene; great-grandson of Nathaniel and Abby Sophia (Casey) Greene; great^2-grandson of *Christopher Greene,* Member of Rhode Island Committee of Public Safety, Commander of Kentish Guard.

FORD ASHMAN CARPENTER, San Diego, Cal. (23283). Son of Lebbeus Ross and Charlotte Baldwin (Eaton) Carpenter; grandson of Joseph James and Esther (Walker) Carpenter; great-grandson of Joseph Carpenter; great²-grandson of *Ashman Carpenter,* private Morris County New Jersey Militia.

HORACE STEDMAN CLARK, Berkeley, Cal. (22392). Son of Francis L. and Esther (Harrison) Clark; grandson of Francis and Louise Griswold (Rackett) Clark; great-grandson of Joshua and Louise Griswold (Lay) Rackett; great²-grandson of *Lee Lay,* Captain Conn. Militia.

HARRY RETZER COMLY, San Diego, Cal. (22393). Son of James M. and Sarah L. (Retzer) Comly; grandson of Henry and Rebecca (Worrell) Comly; great-grandson of *Isaac Worrell,* Captain Fourth Company, Second Battalion, Philadelphia County Militia.

ALEXANDER BURNETT COOPER, San Francisco, Cal. (22388). Son of James Burnett and Jennett (McNeil) Cooper; grandson of Thomas Jefferson and Caroline (Baker) Cooper; great-grandson of James and Elizabeth (Price) Baker; great²-grandson of *David Baker,* Lieutenant, Capt. William Brittin's Company Fifth New Jersey Regt.

FRANCIS VINCENT CORNISH, San Francisco, Cal. (22381). Son of Edwin Darius and Mary Ann (Pew) Cornish; grandson of Sanford and Elizabeth Green (Eager) Cornish; great-grandson of *Gabriel Cornish,* private, Colonel Hopkinson's Mass. Regt.

CHARLES TEMPLETON CROCKER, San Francisco, Cal. (22376). Son of Charles F. and Jennie (Easton) Crocker; grandson of Charles and Mary Ann (Deming) Crocker; great-grandson of John Jay and Emily (Read) Deming; great²-grandson of Charles John and Rachel L. (Miller) Read; great³-grandson of *Seth Read,* Lieutenant-Colonel Mass. Line, Continental Army.

FREDERICK WILLIAM CROWELL, San Francisco, Cal. (23281). Son of Charles H. and Aurelia A. (Taylor) Crowell; grandson of Jesse and Hannah (Campbell) Crowell; great-grandson of *Henry Campbell,* private, Capt. Daniel Runnell's Company, Col. Thomas Tash's Regt. New Hampshire Militia.

HENRY DEXTER CUSHING, Oakland, Cal. (22382). Son of John and Annette (Farrington) Cushing; grandson of Daniel and Hannah Rice (Townsend) Cushing; great-grandson of Hosea and Lydia (Shaw) Cushing; great²-grandson of *Daniel Cushing,* First Lieutenant First Cumberland County Regt. New York Militia.

ELLIOTT B. DAVIS, Oakland, Cal. (22384). Son of Edward Loring and Emily Orlina (Sanderson) Davis; grandson of Alpheus and Sally Clossen (White) Sanderson; great-grandson of Amos Gates and Abigail (Marvin) White; great²-grandson of *Seth Marvin,* Captain Cornwall Regt. New York Militia; grandson of Washington and Olive Cheney (Morse) Davis; great-grandson of Solomon and Relief (Pierson) Davis; great²-grandson of *Richard Davis,* private New Hampshire Militia; great-grandson of Jabez and Lucy (Fay) Morse; great²-grandson of *Thomas Morse,* private, Col. John Brewer's Mass. Regt.; great-grandson of Stephen and Polixina (Childs) Sanderson; great²-grandson of Isaac and Submit (Montague) Sanderson; great³-grandson of *Daniel Montague,* Member of Massachusetts Provincial Congress; great²-grandson of David and Clarissa (Dickinson) Childs; great³-grandson of *Thomas Dickinson,* Captain Fifth Hampshire County Regt. Mass. Militia.

HORACE BLY DAY, San Diego, Cal. (23279). Son of Joseph and Margaret (Bly) Day; grandson of Josiah and Fanny (Ordway) Bly; great-grandson of *Moses Bly,* private, Col. Enoch Poor's New Hampshire Regt.

HENRY CUSHING DEXTER, Oakland, Cal. (22383). Son of Asa Allen and Laura (Cushing) Dexter; grandson of Daniel and Hannah Rice (Townsend) Cushing; great-grandson of Hosea and Lydia (Shaw) Cushing; great²-grandson of *Daniel Cushing,* First Lieutenant First Cumberland County Regt. New York Militia.

GRAYSON DUTTON, San Francisco, Cal. (21547). Son of William Jay and Mary Grayson (Heydenfeldt) Dutton; grandson of Henry and Frances Cushing (Stevens) Dutton; great-grandson of Samuel Edwards and Marcie (Page) Dutton; great²-grandson of *Samuel Dutton,* private, Col. William Prescott's Regt. Mass. Militia.

JOHN HENRY ELSEFFER, San Diego, Cal. (22394). Son of Jacob Whiteman and Delia Eliza (Bonesteel) Elseffer; grandson of John and Catharine (Whiteman) Elseffer; great-grandson of Henry and Rebecca (Sharpe) Whiteman; great²-grandson of *George Sharpe,* Second Lieutenant Dutchess County New York Militia.

NEWTON SEYMOUR FARLEY, Oakland, Cal. (22385). Son of Ebenezer and Eliza Minerva (Smith) Farley; grandson of Timothy Seymour and Susan C. (Crippen) Smith; great-grandson of *David Smith,* Major Eighth Conn. Line, Brigade Major of General Norman's Brigade.

NORMAN SEAVER FROST, Petaluma, Cal. (21540). Supplemental. Son of Norman Seaver and Elizabeth Weeks (Seaver) Frost; grandson of Heman and Sarah Cazneau (Rice) Seaver; great-grandson of *Noah Rice,* private and fifer, Col. Danforth Key's Mass. Regt.

HOWARD GRIFFITH, San Francisco, Cal. (20171). Supplemental. Son of John McKim and Sarah Ann Young (Tomlinson) Griffith; grandson of Howard and Ruth (Plummer) Griffith; great-grandson of *Howard Griffith,* Ensign Upper Battalion Montgomery County Maryland Militia.

JOHN T. GRIFFITH, Los Angeles, Cal. (21538). Supplemental. Son of John McKim and Sarah Ann Young (Tomlinson) Griffith; grandson of Howard and Ruth (Plummer) Griffith; great-grandson of *Howard Griffith,* Ensign Upper Battalion Montgomery County Maryland Militia.

CARVER HOWLAND, San Diego, Cal. (22389). Son of John Andrews and Emily (Langley) Howland; grandson of Benjamin and Susannah (Andrews) Howland; great-grandson of *Zephaniah Andrews,* Captain Rhode Island Militia.

CHARLES LEWIS JOSSELYN, San Diego, Cal. (21542). Son of George Dwelly and Alice (Walker) Josselyn; grandson of Elisha K. and Caroline (Dwelly) Josselyn; great-grandson of *Charles Josselyn,* private, Capt. Thomas Turner's Company Mass. Militia.

FRANK ALEAMON LEACH, Jr., Oakland, Cal. (22380). Son of Frank Aleamon and Mary Louise (Powell) Leach; grandson of Abraham and Louise (Paxon) Powell; great-grandson of Abraham and Mary (Sparks) Powell; great²-grandson of *Richard Powell,* private, minute man, Gloucester County New Jersey Militia.

JOHN McHENRY, Jr., Berkeley, Cal. (23277). Son of John and Frances V. (Reynolds) McHenry; grandson of John and Ellen J. (Metcalfe) McHenry; great-grandson of *Jesse McHenry,* private South Carolina Troops; great-grandson of Aza Baldwin and Barbara Allen (Harris) Metcalfe; great²-grandson of Thomas and Sibyl (Chapin) Metcalfe; great³-grandson of *Nathaniel Chapin,* Ensign Second Company, Colonel Sage's Regt. Wadsworth's Conn. Brigade; great²-grandson of *John McHenry,* private South Carolina Cavalry, killed in service in 1778.

REYNOLDS McHENRY, Berkeley, Cal. (23276). Son of John and Frances V. (Reynolds) McHenry; grandson of John and Ellen J. (Metcalfe) McHenry; great-grandson of *Jesse McHenry,* private South Carolina Troops; great-grandson of Aza Baldwin and Barbara Allen (Harris) Metcalfe; great²-grandson of Thomas and Sibyl (Chapin) Metcalfe; great³-grandson of *Nathaniel Chapin,* Ensign Second Company, Colonel Sage's Regt. Wadsworth's Conn. Brigade 1776; great²-grandson of *John McHenry,* private South Carolina Cavalry, killed in service in 1778.

MILES WILSON McINTOSH, San Francisco, Cal. (23282). Son of Elisha and Helen M. (Wilson) McIntosh; grandson of Samuel and Sarah H. (Davis) Mc-

Intosh; great-grandson of *Jeremiah McIntosh,* private, Capt. William Draper's Company Second Roxbury, Col. William Heath's Mass. Regt.

JAMES GRANVILLE MAGANN, Jr., Berkeley, Cal. (22387). Son of James Granville and Caroline H. (Thornton) Magann; grandson of Alfred A. and Delia (Forbes) Thornton; great-grandson of George Alexander and Frances (Gregory) Thornton; great²-grandson of *John Thornton,* Lieutenant-Colonel, Grayson's Additional Continental Regt., Colonel Virginia Militia.

FRANK WILLIAM MARVIN, San Francisco, Cal. (21549). Son of William Waldo and Amelia Louisa Augusta (Le Fever) Marvin; grandson of William and Polly (Brayton) Marvin; great-grandson of Ozias and Mary (Bennett) Marvin, Jr.; great-grandson of *Ozias Marvin,* Captain Ninth Regt. Conn. Militia; grandson of Daniel and Henrietta L. (Von Colson) Le Fever; great-grandson of *George Le Fever,* Ensign York County Penna. Associators.

ALONZO MASON, San Francisco, Cal. (21550). Son of Edgar and Ann Eliza (Blount) Mason; grandson of *Daniel Mason,* Corporal, Capt. Abel King's Company, Colonel Sears's Mass. Regt., pensioned; great-grandson of *Joseph Mason,* private, Col. William McIntosh's Mass. Regt.; grandson of William and Anne Blount; great-grandson of *William Blount,* Member of Continental Congress, 1782-1783, Member of North Carolina Provincial Assembly; great²-grandson of *Jacob Blount,* Member of North Carolina Provincial Assemblies of 1775 and 1776.

VICTOR EDWARD MATHEWS, Mill Valley, Cal. (22391). Son of Henry E. and Minnie A. Mathews; grandson of Edwin Goodrich and Marcia L. (Kellogg) Mathews; great-grandson of Asahel and Hope (Hollister) Mathews; great²-grandson of *David Hollister,* drummer and private Conn. Militia.

ORRO EUGENE MONNETTE, Los Angeles, Cal. (22399). Son of Mervin Jeremiah and Olive Adelaide (Hull) Monnette; grandson of Abraham and Catharine (Braucher) Monnett; great-grandson of Jeremiah Crabb and Alley (Slagle) Monnett; great²-grandson of *Abraham Monnett,* private Thirty-third Battalion Maryland Militia.

FRANK COGSWELL MORTIMER, Berkeley, Cal. (22378). Son of Harry William and Lucy Cleveland (Smith) Mortimer; grandson of William and Amanda (Reed) Mortimer; great-grandson of Lewis Benedict and Maria (Brower) Reed; great²-grandson of *Jacob Reed,* private, Capt. Joseph Dyckman's Company Third Dutchess County Regt. New York Militia; great²-grandson of *Abraham I. Brower,* drummer and fifer New Jersey Militia.

WILLIAM WIGHTMAN NORTON, Berkeley, Cal. (21543). Son of Frank Butler and Cora B. Norton; grandson of Ichabod and Sarah M. Norton; great-grandson of James and Mary (Riddell) Norton; great²-grandson of *Peter Norton,* private Mass. Militia.

FRANK OTIS, San Francisco, Cal. (22377). Son of Stephen and Harriett G. (Dennett) Otis; grandson of Joshua and Hannah (Locke) Dennett; great-grandson of *Joseph Dennett,* private Mass. Militia and Continental Line, pensioned.

KINGSBURY EASTMAN PARKER, San Francisco, Cal. (22400). Son of Joseph K. and Carrie Francis (Stevens) Parker; grandson of Francis Marion and Marion Sophia (Skelenger) Stevens; great-grandson of Thomas and Mahala (Bartlett) Stevens, Jr.; great²-grandson of *Thomas Stevens,* Corporal, Captain Treadwell's Company, Colonel Crane's Worcester County Mass. Regt.

BENJAMIN HORN PENDLETON, Oakland, Cal. (21544). Son of James Oliver and Mary Louise (Horn) Pendleton; grandson of Oliver and Mary D. (Southworth) Pendleton; great-grandson of Benjamin Pendleton, Jr.; great²-grandson of *Benjamin Pendleton,* private, Capt. Joseph Pendleton's Company Rhode Island Militia, privateersman.

CHARLES PARKE POSTON, Oakland, Cal. (22390). Son of Newton and Sarah A. (Briggs) Poston; grandson of Edwin and Mary T. (Didlake) Poston; great-

grandson of Edmund and Mildred Gregory (Woodford) Poston; great²-grandson of John T. and Mary (Taliafero) Woodford; great³-grandson of *William Woodford,* Colonel Second Virginia Cavalry, Brigadier-General, taken prisoner at Charleston 1780, died on prison ship.

AARON SCHLOSS, San Francisco, Cal. (22379). Son of Moses Ansel and Rachel (Jackson) Schloss; grandson of James Jackson; great-grandson of *Solomon Jackson,* private Virginia Militia, his son pensioned in 1848.

CHARLES LEONARD SMITH, Oakland, Cal. (21748). Son of Leonard and Mary Sally (Lyne) Smith; grandson of Leonard and Eliza (Jamison) Smith; great-grandson of *John Smith,* Ensign First Maryland Battalion of Flying Camp.

SELDEN CORNELIUS SMITH, Berkeley, Cal. (22395). Son of Eben Cornelius and Emily Cornelia (Wyman) Smith; grandson of Cornelius and Sarah (Lamb) Smith; great-grandson of Ebenezer and Abagail (Steele) Smith; great²-grandson of Zadoc and Hannah (Shurtleff) Steele; great³-grandson of *James Steele,* Lieutenant Conn. Militia; grandson of Asahel and Marietta (Adams) Wyman; great-grandson of Jasher and Annice (Benson) Wyman; great²-grandson of *Thomas Wyman,* private, Captain Hasley's Camp Mass. Minute Men, died in service, 1776.

JOHN CALVIN SPAULDING, San Francisco, Cal. (23278). Son of Timothy C. and Fanny Laurinda (Stowell) Spaulding; grandson of Timothy and Sylvia (Cheney) Spaulding; great-grandson of Josiah and Eunice (Skinner) Spaulding; great²-grandson of *Leonard Spaulding,* Captain Vermont and Mass. Militia.

HOWARD GRIFFITH STEVENSON, San Francisco, Cal. (19442). Supplemental. Son of Charles Crawford and Ruth Anna (Griffith) Stevenson; grandson of Howard and Ruth (Plummer) Griffith; great-grandson of *Howard Griffith,* Ensign Upper Battalion Montgomery County Maryland Militia.

WILLIAM THOMAS, San Francisco, Cal. (22398). Son of Benjamin Franklin and Mary Ann (Park) Thomas; grandson of Isaiah and Mary (Weld) Thomas, Jr.; great-grandson of *Isaiah Thomas,* recognized patriot, editor and publisher "The Worcester Gazette," or "American Oracle of Liberty," 1775, and of "Massachusetts Spy," 1770-1776, 1778.

ANDREW J. WADLIA, San Diego, Cal. (22396). Son of Daniel and Mary (Serry) Wadlia, Jr.; grandson of *Daniel Wadlia,* Sergeant, Colonel Bailey's Regt. Mass. Line, pensioned.

CHARLES HOSKINS WELLER, San Francisco, Cal. (21541). Son of Milo James and Martha Ann (Hoskins) Weller; grandson of John Grey and Mary M. (Gorton) Hoskins; great-grandson of Charles Chauncey and Sarah (Boss) Hoskins; great²-grandson of *William Hoskins,* Assistant, Commissary General's Dept. Continental Army.

CHARLES HAROLD WILSON, San Francisco, Cal. (22386). Son of John Boynton and Mary A. (Burckes) Wilson; grandson of Joseph and Lucy (Boynton) Wilson; great-grandson of *Joshua Wilson,* private, Lieut. Peter Poor's Company Mass. Minute Men.

COLORADO SOCIETY.

JOHN D. ALLEN, Denver, Colo. (22560). Son of Thomas and Mary (Dayton) Allen; grandson of Isaac and Sarah (Gould) Dayton; great-grandson of *Daniel Gould,* private New Jersey Militia, pensioned.

HORACE EASTON BAGLEY, Denver, Colo. (22562). Son of James Harlow and Harriet Delight (Easton) Bagley; grandson of Elijah and Jerusha (Jones) Easton; great-grandson of Oliver and Delight (Cook) Easton; great²-grandson of *Elijah Easton,* private, Captain Harmon's Company, Colonel Wolcott's Conn. State Regt.

WILLIAM LEWIS BARTLETT, Colorado Springs, Colo. (21846). Son of Denison S. and Martha Jane (Nute) Bartlett; grandson of Moses and Clarissa (Nudd) (Pinkham) Nute; great-grandson of William and Mary (Davis) Nute; great²-grandson of *Jotham Nute,* private First Battalion New Hampshire Troops.

CHARLES RISLEY BORST, Denver, Colo. (22559). Son of William Wallace and Alice Frances (Hotchkiss) Borst; grandson of Charles Augustus and Clarissa Frances Hotchkiss; great-grandson of Amos Carroll and Martha Terry (Chittenden) Hotchkiss; great²-grandson of Amos and Hannah (Norton) Hotchkiss; great³-grandson of *Amos Hotchkiss,* private, Captain Bradley's Company, New Haven, Conn.

RALPH FOOTE BRISTOL, Fort Collins, Colo. (22567). Son of Judson H. and Alice M. (Foote) Bristol; grandson of Jared Abernathy and Caroline E. (Bristol) Foote; great-grandson of Elijah and Mehitable (Gale) Foote; great²-grandson of *David Foote,* private Fifth Company First Conn. Continental Regt.

DEANE E. BYERLEY, Fort Collins, Colo. (22566). Son of Benjamin F. and Mary Elizabeth (Thayer) Byerley; grandson of Gilbert and Sarah E. (Pratt) Thayer; great-grandson of Jacob and Mary Anne (Malonia) Thayer; great²-grandson of *Elisha Thayer,* private, Col. Joseph Read's Mass. Regt.

LOUIS GEORGE CARPENTER, Fort Collins, Colo. (22575). Son of Charles Ketcham and Jennette (Coryell) Carpenter; grandson of George and Eliza (Sherwood) Coryell; great-grandson of Abram and Anna (Covert) Coryell; great²-grandson of *Luke Covert,* private, minute man, Essex County New Jersey Militia.

GEORGE SAMUEL CLASON, Denver, Colo. (22555). Son of Cyrus Seward and Mabel L. (Stillman) Clason; grandson of George W. and Naomi (Seward) Clason; great-grandson of James and Abigail (Ferris) Clason; great²-grandson of *Samuel Clason,* private Ninth Conn. Militia, Col. John Mead.

JOHN WILLIAM CONRAD, Denver, Colo. (22554). Son of Darius and Mary Rebecca (Schrock) Conrad; grandson of John William and Martha Patience (Shock) Shrock; great-grandson of William and Rebecca Birk (Gibson) Shock; great²-grandson of *John Shock,* private Northumberland County Penna. Militia.

WARWICK MILLER DOWNING, Denver, Colo. (22568). Son of James Mount and Nellie (Summers) Downing; grandson of Miller and Sarah Guinn (Mount) Downing; great-grandson of Richard and Elizabeth (Miller) Downing; great²-grandson of *Richard Downing,* Commissary Chester County Penna. Associators and Militia.

WILLIAM RAYMOND FULLER, Fort Collins, Colo. (22563). Son of Cyrenus H. and Parsana M. (Howard) Fuller; grandson of John and Martha (Bailey) Howard; great-grandson of *Eliakim Howard,* Captain, Major Eliphalet Carey's Regt.

VINCENT EDMUND GILLETT GREYDENE-SMITH, Denver, Colo. (22553). Son of Frederic Greydene and Mabel Agnes (Oldham) Smith; grandson of Edmund and Mary Elizabeth (Coes) Oldham; great-grandson of Samuel and Celestina (Newton) Coes; great²-grandson of Benjamin and Sabra (Titus) Newton; great³-grandson of *Noah Titus,* private Worcester County Mass. Militia.

WALTER KENDRICK HOTCHKISS, Denver, Colo. (22564). Son of Charles Norton and Lillah Lucy (Watkins) Hotchkiss; grandson of Charles Augustus and Clarissa Frances Hotchkiss; great-grandson of Amos Carroll and Mary Terry (Chittenden) Hotchkiss; great²-grandson of *Amos Hotchkiss,* private, Captain Bradley's Company of New Haven, Conn.

SETH C. LEWIS, Fort Collins, Colo. (22571). Son of Herbert M. and Mary (Kitchell) Lewis; grandson of John and Esther (Peck) Kitchell; great-grandson of Peter and Sarah (Colgrove) Peck; great²-grandson of *Jedediah Peck,* private First Company Sixth Conn. Continental Regt., 1775.

GEORGE CHALMERS McCORMICK, Fort Collins, Colo. (22569). Son of Montgomery and Harriet (Kitchell) McCormick; grandson of John and Esther (Peck) Kitchell; great-grandson of Peter and Sarah (Colgrove) Peck; great^3-grandson of *Jedediah Peck,* private First Company Sixth Conn. Continental Regt., 1775.

SYLVANUS OLDFIELD, Fort Collins, Colo. (22570). Son of David Phelps and Catherine (Creighton) Oldfield; grandson of Richard and Elmira (Phelps) Oldfield; great-grandson of *William Oldfield,* private Dutchess County and Orange County New York Militia, pensioned.

BURRITT SLAWSON OSBORNE, Denver, Colo. (22558). Son of Henry Burwell and Agnes Hall (Slawson) Osborne; grandson of Amos and Polly (Bristol) Osborn; great-grandson of Barnum and Olive (Hicock) Osborn; great^2-grandson of *Timothy Osborn,* Member of Committee of Inspection and Observation of Woodbury, Conn.

SHEPARD GOODWIN PATRICK, Denver, Colo. (23126). Son of Shepard Goodwin and Phœbe (Shaw) Patrick; grandson of Alanson Benjamin and Philomila (Flower) Shaw; great-grandson of *Zephon Fowler,* private, Col. Elisha Sheldon's Regt. Conn. Light Dragoons; great-grandson of *Jeremiah Shaw,* private Fourth Albany County Regt. New York Militia.

HENRY FOOTE PERRIN, Hartford, Conn. (Colo. 22552). Son of Henry M. and Philena (Foote) Perrin; grandson of C. D. and Laura Ann (Holbrook) Foote; great-grandson of Samuel and Sibbil (Doolittle) Foote; great^2-grandson of Obed and Mary (Todd) Foote; great^3-grandson of *Samuel Todd,* Chaplain Mass. Militia.

SILAS GILBERT PIERSON, Denver, Colo. (21845). Son of John and Elizabeth (Halsey) Pierson; grandson of Silas Gilbert and Salome Bartlett (Cook) Pierson; great-grandson of *Josiah Pierson,* private First Orange County Regt. New York Militia.

WILLIAM DIXON QUACKENBUSH, Colorado Springs, Colo. (21848). Son of Peter and Sarah Amelia (Quinn) Quackenbush; grandson of Peter and Hester (Demarest) Quackenbush; great-grandson of John and Hannah (Ackerman) Quackenbush; great^2-grandson of *Reynier Quackenbos,* Captain of Kakiate Company Haverstraw Precinct Regt. New York Militia.

MICHAEL McDONALD RINN, Boulder, Colo. (21847). Son of Thomas M. and Ruth (McDonald) Rinn; grandson of Ezekiel and Ann (Colman) McDonald; great-grandson of John and Eleanor (Piatt) McDonald; great^2-grandson of *Abraham Piatt,* Captain and Quartermaster Somerset County New Jersey Militia.

FREDERICK WILLIAM TAYLOR, Denver, Colo. (22557). Son of William and Sophronia Elvira (Isbell) Taylor; grandson of George and Relief (Nichols) Taylor; great-grandson of Zebedee and Ruth (Spalding) Taylor; great^2-grandson of *Reuben Taylor,* Captain, Colonel Hazen's Regt.

ALLYN H. TEDMON, Fort Collins, Colo. (21849). Son of Bolivar S. and Alice (Allyn) Tedmon; grandson of Ira and Anna (Carpenter) Allyn; great-grandson of William and Catherine (Dennison) Allyn; great^2-grandson of Ephriam and Temperance (Morgan) Allyn; great^3-grandson of *William Morgan,* private Eighth Regt. Conn. Militia.

BOB S. TEDMON, Jr., Fort Collins, Colo. (21850). Son of Bolivar S. and Alice (Allyn) Tedmon; grandson of Ira and Anna (Carpenter) Tedmon; great-grandson of William and Catherine (Dennison) Allyn; great^2-grandson of Ephriam and Temperance (Morgan) Allyn; great^3-grandson of *William Morgan,* private Eighth Regt. Conn. Militia.

LEON W. TRESNER, Fort Collins, Colo. (22572). Son of William and Nancy (Strong) Tresner; grandson of Thomas and Jane (Taylor) Strong; great-grandson of *James Strong,* Clerk, Capt. Isaac Coren's Company Penna. Artillery under General Knox.

NATHAN C. WARREN, Fort Collins, Colo. (22573). Son of Charles and Ida M. Warren; grandson of Caleb Strong and Maria Celinda (Fleming) Warren; great-grandson of Joseph and Susan R. (Willey) Warren; great²-grandson of *Ahimaaz Willey,* private First Regt. Conn. Line, pensioned.

THOMAS J. WARREN, Fort Collins, Colo. (22574). Son of Charles and Ida M. Warren; grandson of Caleb Strong and Maria Celinda (Fleming) Warren; great-grandson of Joseph and Susan R. (Willey) Warren; great²-grandson of *Ahimaaz Willey,* private First Regt. Conn. Line, pensioned.

CONNECTICUT SOCIETY.

FRANCIS BURKE ALLEN, Hartford, Conn. (21908). Son of William Cathers and Louisa Bartello Williams (Burke) Allen; grandson of Francis and Sarah (Hands) Burke; great-grandson of *Edward De Vinnish Burke,* private, Capt. Jacob Gerrish's Company Seventeenth Mass. Regt.

NATHAN KING AVERILL, U. S. Army, Woodbury, Conn. (22408). Son of Perry and Ada L. (Mosher) Averill; grandson of Phineas B. and Eliza E. (Wheeler) Averill; great-grandson of Perry and Eunice Ann (Barnes) Averill; great²-grandson of *Perry Averill,* private Thirteenth Regt. Conn. Militia.

LESTER DAVID BAKER, U. S. Army, Detroit, Mich. (Conn. 21909). Son of Charles Henry and Alice Redfield (Lockwood) Baker; grandson of David Benjamin and Caroline (Redfield) Lockwood; great-grandson of David and Abigail (Gray) Lockwood; great²-grandson of *Reuben Lockwood,* teamster, private Conn. Coast Guards.

JOHN HENRY BELDEN, Hartford, Conn. (21910). Son of Henry and Cornelia E. (Munson) Belden; grandson of John Joshua and Eunice (Alling) Munson; great-grandson of *Caleb Alling, 3d,* Captain Second Regt. Conn. Militia.

EDWARD STEELE BOYD, Woodbury, Conn. (22415). Son of Pliny Steele and Mary Jane (Allen) Boyd; grandson of Thomas Parsons and Anna (Steele) Boyd; great-grandson of Elisha and Anna (Brown) Steele, Jr.; great²-grandson of *Elisha Steele,* Sergeant "Bethlem Volunteers" Conn. Militia.

ROBERT MORGAN BREWSTER, Hartford, Conn. (21911). Son of Elias Morgan and Lucretia (Harris) Brewster; grandson of Ephraim Morgan and Esther (Gorgon) Brewster; great-grandson of *Elias* (and Margaret Morgan) *Brewster,* private, Colonel Selden's Conn. Regt.; great²-grandson of *James Morgan,* Captain Conn. Militia; grandson of Robert Brown and Betsy Hillard (Brewster) Harris; great-grandson of Daniel and Sabina (Brown) Harris, Jr.; great²-grandson of *Daniel Harris,* private, Captain Storr's Company Third Conn. Regt.; great-grandson of Erastus and Esther (Hillard) Brewster; great²-grandson of *Benjamin Hillard,* Sergeant, Captain Mott's Company Conn. Militia.

CHARLES ORSON BRITTON, Hartford, Conn. (22416). Son of Orson and Georgetta (Delaplaine) Britton; grandson of Orson and Marie Marguerete (L'Hommedieu) Britton; great-grandson of Charles and Sarah B. (Satterly) L'Hommedieu; great²-grandson of *Samuel L'Hommedieu,* Captain Second Regt. Suffolk County New York Militia.

RALPH DELAPLAINE BRITTON, Hartford, Conn. (22409). Son of Orson and Georgetta (Delaplaine) Britton; grandson of Orson and Marie Marguerete (L'Hommedieu) Britton; great-grandson of Charles and Sarah B. (Satterly) L'Hommedieu; great²-grandson of *Samuel L'Hommedieu,* Captain Second Suffolk County Regt. New York Militia.

ERNEST BEECHER CASTLE, Sea Cliff, N. Y. (Conn. 22401). Son of Henry Edward and Harriet Frances (Benedict) Castle; grandson of Cornelius and Harriet Elizabeth (Wells) Benedict; great-grandson of Najah and Clara (Judd) Benedict; great²-grandson of Benajah and Hannah (Seelye) Benedict; great³-grandson of *James Seelye,* Lieutenant Sixteenth Conn. Regt., Col. Nehemiah Beardsley.

FREDERICK WILLIAM CHESSON, Waterbury, Conn. (21912). Son of Frederick William and Clara (Cooke) Chesson; grandson of Walter H. and Jennie (McClintock) Cooke; great-grandson of Nathan and Clarrissa (Reynolds) Cooke; great^2-grandson of Joseph and Anna (Bronson) Cooke; great^3-grandson of *Moses Cook,* drummer, Lieut. Isaac Benham's Company Tenth Regt. Conn. Militia.

ROSWELL JOHN CLAPP, Hartford, Conn. (21913). Son of John Beadle and Leila (Blodgett) Clapp; grandson of Roswell and Frances (Church) Blodgett; great-grandson of James and Mary (Wadsworth) Church; great^2-grandson of *Roger Wadsworth,* First Lieutenant Fifth Regt. Conn. Line.

WILLIAM H. CORBIN, Hartford, Conn. (22422). Son of William M. and Josephine (Walker) Corbin; grandson of Benjamin and Maria (Potter) Corbin; great-grandson of David and Mary (Bugbee) Corbin; great^2-grandson of *Asahel Corbin,* private, Lieutenant Morris's Company Eleventh Conn. Regt.; great-grandson of *Silas Potter,* Sergeant, Colonel Dyer's Rhode Island Regt.

CARL STONE CRUMMETT, New Haven, Conn. (21914). Son of Joseph Allen and Josephine Joanna (Stone) Crummett; grandson of Silas and Sarah W. (Giffin) Stone; great-grandson of David and Mary E. (White) Giffin; great^2-grandson of Josiah and Sally (Rogers) White, Jr.; great^3-grandson of *Josiah* (and Tabitha Carter) *White,* private, Colonel Whitcomb's and other Regts. Mass. Militia; great^4-grandson of *Josiah Carter,* Major, Col. Asa Whitcomb's Mass. Regt.; grandson of Thomas Jefferson and Martha Ruhamah (Frost) Crummett; great-grandson of James and Martha (Russell) Frost, Jr.; great^2-grandson of James and Margaret (Lock) Frost, Sr.; great^3-grandson of Ephraim and Lydia (Perry) Frost; great^4-grandson of *Ephraim Frost,* Member of Cambridge Committee of Safety and Correspondence, Captain of Mass. Militia.

ROYDEN WINTHROP DAVISON, Trenton, N. J. (Conn. 21915). Son of John B. and Mary (Warner) Davison; grandson of George and Math S. (Belding) Warner; great-grandson of Elehew and Sarah (Clapp) Belding; great^2-grandson of Thomas and Sarah (Field) Clapp; great^3-grandson of *John Field,* Lieutenant Mass. Militia.

MARCENE BREVET DUNBAR, Winsted, Conn. (22402). Son of Lyman and Minerva (King) Dunbar; grandson of Ralph and Anna (Starks) Dunbar; great-grandson of *Joseph Dunbar,* Corporal, Colonel Sheldon's Second Regt. Continental Light Dragoons, pensioned.

WALTER COLLYER FAXON, Hartford, Conn. (21916). Son of Hiram and Margaret Maria (Collyer) Faxon; grandson of Elihu and Elizabeth (Olcott) Faxon; great-grandson of *Ebenezer Faxon,* private, Lieut. Charles Seymour's Company Conn. Militia.

EDMUND EARLE FREEMAN, Wethersfield, Conn. (21917). Son of Edmund Byrd and Emily Louisa (Pudney) Freeman; grandson of Denison Earle and Betsey Cordelia (Cole) Pudney; great-grandson of Richard and Emily (Morgan) Cole; great^2-grandson of Benjamin and Phœbe (Williams) Morgan; great^3-grandson of *William Williams,* Colonel First or Lower Regt. Vermont Militia.

FERDINAND GILDERSLEEVE, Gildersleeve, Conn. (21918). Son of Sylvester and Emily Shepard (Cornwall) Gildersleeve; grandson of *Philip Gildersleeve,* Corporal, Capt. David Pierson's Minute Company Suffolk County New York Militia.

EDWARD GILLETTE, Sheridan, Wyo. (Conn. 22410). Son of Edward and Anna Frances (Selby) Gillette; grandson of William and Caroline (Gilman) Selby; great-grandson of William and Anna (Burnham) Selby; great^2-grandson of *William Selby,* Member of East Haddam Commissary Committee.

JOHN PACKER GRAY, Bridgeport, Conn. (22403). Son of Mason Packer and Evelyn (Lamb) Gray; grandson of John and Emma (Packer) Gray; great-

grandson of Mason and Polly (Fitch) Packer; great²-grandson of Chester and Deborah (Packer) Fitch; great³-grandson of *John Packer, 2d,* private, Capt. Amos Stanton's Company, Colonel Sherburne's and Col. S. B. Webb's Conn. Regts.

WILLIAM HYMAN HOLABIRD, Los Angeles, Cal. (Conn. 22411). Son of Oscar Fitzland and Adelia Almeda (Peirson) Holabird; grandson of Hyman and Sidney (Peck) Holabird; great-grandson of Timothy and Hannah Robinson (Bacon) Holabird, Jr.; great²-grandson of *Timothy Holabird,* private, Capt. Luther Stoddard's Sixth Company, Col. Charles Burrell's Battalion Conn. Militia.

WALTER ARMOUR HOLDEN, Ansonia, Conn. (22404). Son of Milton Dana and Jane (Doonan) Holden; grandson of Dana Seaver and Mary Ann (Pierce) Holden; great-grandson of James and Pamelia (Allen) Holden; great²-grandson of Simon and Mary Brown (Pierce) Holden; great³-grandson of *Simon Holden,* Lieutenant Sixth Middlesex Regt. Mass. Militia.

EDWARD RUFUS HOLMES, Winsted, Conn. (22424). Son of Rufus Edwards and Lucy Ann (Coe) Holmes; grandson of Rufus and Belinda (Bass) Holmes; great-grandson of *Joseph Holmes,* private, Colonel Hooker's Conn. Regt.; great-grandson of Nathan and Belinda (Mills) Bass; great²-grandson of *Nathan Bass,* Sergeant Eighteenth Regt. Conn. Militia.

RALPH WINTHROP HOLMES, Winsted, Conn. (22425). Son of Rufus Edwards and Lucy Ann (Coe) Holmes; grandson of Rufus and Belinda (Bass) Holmes; great-grandson of *Joseph Holmes,* private, Colonel Hooker's Conn. Regt.; great-grandson of Nathan and Belinda (Mills) Bass; great²-grandson of *Nathan Bass,* Sergeant Eighteenth Regt. Conn. Militia.

WILLIAM CLIFFORD HOMAN, Meriden, Conn. (23251). Son of William and Agusta (Savage) Homan; grandson of Orrin and Nancy (Ames) Savage; great-grandson of *Samuel Savage,* private, Capt. James Arnold's Company, Colonel Wooster's Conn. Regt.

FREDERICK COLLINS HULL, New Haven, Conn. (23252). Son of Azor Barber and Mary Elizabeth (Collins) Hull; grandson of Nathaniel Selleck and Angeline (Barber) Hull; great-grandson of Denny and Anna (Selleck) Hull; great²-grandson of Denny C. and Mary (Platt) Hull; great³-grandson of *Jedediah Hull,* Lieutenant, Captain Dimon's Company Conn. Militia.

FRANK HENRY HURLBURT, Hartford, Conn. (21919). Son of Edwin and Laura Adelia (Grant) Hurlburt; grandson of Aaron and Eleanor (Osborn) Grant; great-grandson of *Aaron Grant,* fifer, Capt. Roswell Grant's Company, Colonel Johnson's Conn. Regt., pensioned; grandson of Obadiah and Elizabeth (Warriner) Hurlburt; great-grandson of *Abner Warriner,* Corporal, Capt. Chas. Colton's Company, Colonel Greaton's Mass. Regt., pensioned.

FREDERICK LE ROY JEWETT, Brockway, Conn. (21920). Son of Arthur L. and Gertrude Mulford (Osborne) Jewett; grandson of Robert F. and Juliette (Mulford) Osborne; great-grandson of Jeremiah and Mary (Lee) Mulford; great²-grandson of Edward and Fanny (Risam) Mulford; great³-grandson of *Ezekiel Mulford,* Captain Twelfth Company Colonel Smith's Suffolk County Regt. New York Militia.

FREDERIC T. MURLLESS, Jr., Hartford, Conn. (23253). Son of Frederic T. and Mary Ellen (Perrin) Murlless; grandson of John Gladding and Eliza (Childs) Perrin; great-grandson of John and Betsy (Thayer) Childs; great²-grandson of *Elijah Thayer,* drummer, Capt. Moses French's Company Mass. Militia.

GEORGE EUGENE OBER, Bridgeport, Conn. (22405). Son of George and Adelain A. (Eaton) Ober; grandson of Moses and Hannah Thomas (Emmerson) Eaton; great-grandson of Ezra D. and Tamar Eaton; great²-grandson of *Thomas Eaton,* Captain Third Parish Company of Minute Men of Reading, Mass.

GEORGE FRANCIS OLMSTED, Hartford, Conn. (21921). Son of George Howell and Helen Frances (Washburn) Olmsted, Jr.; grandson of George Howell and Lucy A. (Phelps) Olmsted; great-grandson of Horace Bigelow and Ann (Goodwin) Olmsted; great²-grandson of *Aaron Olmsted,* Adjutant Second Company Fourth Regt. Conn. Light Horse.

ROBERT DANIELS OLMSTED, Hartford, Conn. (21922). Son of George Howell and Helen Frances (Washburn) Olmsted, Jr.; grandson of George Howell and Lucy A. (Phelps) Olmsted; great-grandson of Horace Bigelow and Ann (Goodwin) Olmsted; great²-grandson of *Aaron Olmsted,* Adjutant Second Company Fourth Regt. Conn. Light Horse.

JOHN MARVIN PARKER, Jr., Hartford, Conn. (21923). Son of John Marvin and Ellen M. (Hotchkiss) Parker; grandson of Marshfield Sterling and Azubah Harvey (Marvin) Parker; great-grandson of *John Parker,* private, Col. Erastus Wolcott's and Col. R. J. Meigs's Conn. Regts., pensioned.

ALBERT HASTINGS PITKIN, Hartford, Conn. (21924). Son of Albert P. and Jane Ann (Hastings) Pitkin; grandson of Henry and Sarah Ann (Dewey) Hastings; great-grandson of James and Lydia (Hiscock) Dewey; great²-grandson of *Eliab Dewey,* private Minute Men of Westfield, Mass.

CHARLES E. POINDEXTER, Hartford, Conn. (22412). Son of Cyrus E. and Lydia M. Poindexter; grandson of Levi and Nancy (Hastings) Robbins; great-grandson of Benjamin and Huldah (Robinson) Robbins; great²-grandson of *Benjamin Robbins,* Lieutenant, Col. Jonas Reed's Mass. Regt.

EDWARD D. REDFIELD, Hartford, Conn. (22418). Son of Edward W. and Louise (Ayrault) Redfield; grandson of Elias and Ann S. Redfield; great-grandson of *Roswell Redfield,* private Conn. Militia, pensioned.

HOSMER P. REDFIELD, Hartford, Conn. (22419). Son of Edward W. and Louise (Ayrault) Redfield; grandson of Elias and Ann S. Redfield; great-grandson of *Roswell Redfield,* private Conn. Militia, pensioned.

CHARLES DURRIE RILEY, Hartford, Conn. (23254). Son of James and Charlotte Ann Riley; grandson of James and Esther (Goodrich) Riley; great-grandson of *John Riley,* Captain Seventh Company Third Regt. Conn. Line.

ARTHUR WILLIAMS ROBBINS, Waterbury, Conn. (22413). Son of George and Lucy Jane (Botsford) Robbins; grandson of Jehiel and Dorothy Edgecomb (Williams) Robbins; great-grandson of Joshua and Lydia (Hough) Williams; great²-grandson of *Joshua Williams,* Sergeant, Captain Spalding's Company First Conn. Regt., Col. John Durkee.

EUGENE F. RUSSELL, Bridgeport, Conn. (23255). Son of Benjamin H. and Frances (Reese) Russell; grandson of Frederick and Catherine (Myers) Reese; great-grandson of Mathew and Catherine (Bellinger) Reese; great²-grandson of *Frederick Bellinger,* Corporal, Colonel Bellinger's New York Regt., pensioned.

CURTISS LAUFAIR SHELDON, New Britain, Conn. (22414). Son of Orlando and Laura Maria (Curtiss) Sheldon; grandson of Wilson and Phœbe Rebecca (Matthews) Sheldon; great-grandson of Jerre and Cati (Laufair) Sheldon; great²-grandson of *Ashe, Sheldon, Jr.,* private Seventh Conn. Regt., Col. Charles Webb; great-grandson of Joshua and Polly (Gillett) Curtiss; great²-grandson of *John Gillett,* Sergeant and Quartermaster Conn. Troops; great²-grandson of *Simeon Curtiss,* teamster and cook Conn. Troops, pensioned; grandson of Philo and Charlotte (Mariott) Curtiss.

HERBERT WARREN SNOW, New Haven, Conn. (22406). Son of Frederick W. and Helen (Morrill) Snow; grandson of George W. and Elizabeth (Springer) Snow; great-grandson of Nathaniel and Susan (Dunbar) Snow; great²-grandson of *Joseph Snow,* private, Capt. Nathaniel Larrabee's Company Mass. Militia; great³-grandson of *Isaac Snow,* Commander Mass. privateer "America" in 1776.

GEORGE EUGENE SOUTHWORTH, Bridgeport, Conn. (22407). Son of George Read and Martha E. (Pratt) Southworth; grandson of Seth and Abagail Lewis (Smith) Pratt; great-grandson of Eli and Abagail Doolittle (Hitchcock) Pratt; great²-grandson of *David Hitchcock,* Captain, Col. Thaddeus Cook's Conn. Regt.

JOHN LATIMAR WAY, Hartford, Conn. (22420). Son of John Mirick and Elizabeth Jerusha (Welles) Way; grandson of Daniel Shaw and Clarissa (Latimer) Way; great-grandson of Jonathan and Elizabeth (Chapel) Latimer; great²-grandson of *Jonathan Latimer,* Colonel Conn. Militia; great-grandson of *Thomas Way, Jr.,* Lieutenant in Lexington Alarm List from Lyme, Conn.; grandson of James and Nancy (Caulkins) Welles; great-grandson of *John Howell Welles,* Captain Eighth Company Twelfth Regt. Conn. Militia.

FRANK LANGDON WILCOX, Berlin, Conn. (21925). Son of Samuel Curtis and Anna Scoville (Peck) Wilcox; grandson of Benjamin and Betsey (Savage) Wilcox; great-grandson of *Selah Savage,* private Second Conn. Regt., pensioned.

OGDEN GAGE WILLEY, Bridgeport, Conn. (23256). Son of Ogden Sylvanus and Julia Ann (Holbrook) Willey; grandson of Sylvanus Cone and Malenda (Atchison) Willey; great-grandson of Alfred and Olive (Cone) Willey; great²-grandson of *John Willey,* Captain First Company Fourth Conn. Battalion.

EDWARD G. WOOSTER, New Haven, Conn. (23257). Son of William C. and Mary L. (Gilbert) Wooster; grandson of Philo M. and Sarah (Cogswell) Wooster; great-grandson of *Ephraim Wooster,* Sergeant, Colonel Whitney's Conn. Regt.; great-grandson of Stephen and Anna (Camp) Cogswell; great²-grandson of *William Cogswell,* Major Thirteenth Conn. Regt.; grandson of Lucius and Polly (Beard) Gilbert; great-grandson of *Thomas Gilbert,* Corporal, Capt. John Stevens's Company, Colonel Burrall's Conn. Regt., pensioned; great-grandson of Joel and Mercy (Blackman) Beard; great²-grandson of *Samuel Beard,* Sergeant Fourth Regt. Conn. Militia.

FREDERICK LEWIS WOOSTER, New Britain, Conn. (23258). Son of Benjamin A. and Esther (Wooster) Wooster; grandson of Jesse and Rhoda (Brockett) Wooster; great-grandson of *Walter Wooster,* Sergeant Sixth Regt. Conn. Line.

HENRY J. ZWEYGARTT, Hartford, Conn. (23259). Son of Henry J. and Melissa Isabel (Candee) Zweygartt; grandson of Samuel Lorenzo and Carroline Rebecca (Wheeler) Candee; great-grandson of Samuel and Melissa (Wheeler) Candee; great²-grandson of *Samuel Candee,* Sergeant Conn. Continental Troops, pensioned.

DELAWARE SOCIETY.

HENRY WHITELEY, Wilmington, Del. (16468). Son of William G. and Nancy Potter (Elmer) Whiteley; grandson of William and Margaret Kean (Potter) Elmer; great-grandson of *Jonathan Elmer,* Member of Provincial Congress of New Jersey, 1775, Captain and Major New Jersey Militia.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA SOCIETY.

HARRY FURROW ALLMOND, Washington, D. C. (22129). Son of Alfred Dismukes and Jane (Blakey) Allmond; grandson of James and Margaret (Rucker) Blakey; great-grandson of *Angus Rucker,* Captain, Col. George Gibson's Regt. Virginia Line, pensioned.

BENTON MAGRUDER BUKEY, St. Louis, Mo. (D. C. 22146). Son of John Spencer and Roberta Julia (Magruder) Bukey; grandson of Spencer Tomlinson and Eliza (Hill) Bukey; great-grandson of Alexander and Sarah (Foster) Hill; great²-grandson of *Ephraim Foster,* Sergeant, Col. Joseph Cilley's New Hampshire Regt.

HARRY WOOLFORD CHESLEY, Washington, D. C. (22130). Son of John and Ann Rebecca (Tolley) Chesley; grandson of John B. and Virginia (Willoughby) Tolley; great-grandson of John and Rebecca (Woolford) Willoughby; great²-grandson of *William Willoughby,* privateersman on barge "Fearnought" in Chesapeake Bay.

JOHN TOLLEY CHESLEY, Washington, D. C. (22131). Son of John and Ann Rebecca (Tolley) Chesley; grandson of John B. and Virginia (Willoughby) Tolley; great-grandson of John and Rebecca (Woolford) Willoughby; great²-grandson of *William Willoughby,* privateersman on barge "Fearnought" in Chesapeake Bay.

JAMES LE ROY DAVENPORT, Washington, D. C. (22149). Son of Lock Hart and Mary Creed (Merrill) Davenport; grandson of James Hart and Jerusha (Stebbins) Davenport; great-grandson of Elihu and Lucretia (Wright) Stebbins; great²-grandson of *Eldad Wright,* Captain of Company of Minute Men, Col. Samuel Williams's Mass. Regt.

WILLIAM ALBERT EDWARD DOYING, Washington, D. C. (22132). Son of Ira Edward and Sarah Jane (Davis) Doring; grandson of William Wallace and Ann (Brown) Doying; great-grandson of *Daniel Doying,* private, Captain Kidder's Company, Colonel Nichols's New Hampshire Regt.

CHARLES LAMARTINE DU BOIS, Washington, D. C. (22133). Son of Nicholas and Louisa (Griffin) Du Bois; grandson of Abraham and Julia (Bowers) Du Bois; great-grandson of *Minna Du Bois,* Sergeant Second Battalion New Jersey Militia; great²-grandson of *Abraham Du Bois,* Captain Second Battalion New Jersey Militia.

W. WALTON EDWARDS, Washington, D. C. (22143). Son of William Props and Margaret Elizabeth (Turrentine) Edwards; grandson of Meredith Walton and Martha (Props) Edwards; great-grandson of *William Edwards,* private, Col. John Taylor's Virginia Regt., pensioned.

FREDERICK EUGENE FOWLE, Jr., Washington, D. C. (22150). Son of Frederick Eugene and Mary (Proctor) Fowle; grandson of John and Abigail Bowman (Hill) Fowle; great-grandson of John and Mary (Parker) Fowle; great²-grandson of *Jonas Parker,* private Lexington Company of Minute Men, killed April 19, 1775; great-grandson of William and Mary (Bowman) Hill; great²-grandson of *Solomon Bowman,* Lieutenant, Captain Locke's Middlesex County Company Mass. Minute Men, taken prisoner April 19, 1775, pensioned.

JAMES WILLIAM GILMORE, Lexington, Va. (D. C. 23026). Son of Joseph and Catherine Beale (Paxton) Gilmore; grandson of James and Catherine Beale (Jordan) Paxton; great-grandson of *John Jordan,* Captain of Artillery Penna. Line, pensioned.

JOSEPH ISADORE KEEFER, Washington, D. C. (22139). Son of Adolph and Elizabeth (Thompson) Keefer; grandson of Israel Ball and Frances (Wilson) Thompson; great-grandson of *George Wilson,* Colonel First Virginia Regt. of Volunteers.

CLAUDE FRANKLIN KING, Washington, D. C. (22134). Son of Montgomery S. and Mary Jane Elizabeth (Moffatt) King; grandson of Hugh and Elizabeth Moffatt; great-grandson of *Alexander Moffatt,* private New York Militia and Second Continental Artillery, pensioned.

BENJAMIN FRANKLIN LARCOMBE, Washington, D. C. (22140). Son of John and Elizabeth (Tench) Larcombe; grandson of *Thomas Larkam,* seaman Conn. ship "Oliver Cromwell."

WILLIAM McNEIR, Washington, D. C. (23027). Son of Thomas Shephard and Emily Ridgley (Schwrar) McNeir; grandson of George and Elizabeth (Thompson) McNeir; great-grandson of Thomas and Elizabeth (Cobreth) McNeir; great-grandson of Thomas and Nancy (Burgess) McNeir; great²-grandson of *Edward Burgess,* Captain Frederick County Militia, Member of Committee of Observation, Member of Maryland House of Delegates.

JOHN HENRY MOORE, U. S. Navy, Washington, D. C. (10413). Supplementals. Son of George Augustus and Catherine Arvilla (Brown) Moore; grandson of Roswell Hopkins and Olive Wade (Nichols) Brown; great-grandson of *John Nichols,* private, Captain Browning's Company Mass. Militia; grandson of John and Mary Lerena (Middlebrook) Moore; great-grandson of *John Middlebrook,* private, Capt. David Nichols's Company Conn. Coast Guards, pensioned.

FRANK EGERTON POWELL, Cumberland, Md. (D. C. 22136). Son of Walter and Mary F. (Dart) Powell; grandson of Lewis Fechtig and Mary Naply (Cresap) Dart; great-grandson of Hanson and Eliza (Hendrickson) Cresap; great^2-grandson of Thomas and Mary (Briscoe) Cresap; great^3-grandson of *Daniel Cresap,* Member of Maryland Committee of Safety; great^4-grandson of *Thomas Cresap,* Member of Maryland Committee of Observation and Safety, 1775.

JOHN CLAGETT PROCTOR, Brightwood, D. C. (23031). Son of John Clagett and Mary Ann (Davison) Proctor; grandson of Samuel Childs and Mary Ann (Strong) Davison; great-grandson of Robert and Margaret (Wallington) Davison; great^2-grandson of *Samuel Davison,* Commodore Penna. Navy, Master of privateer schooner "Greene."

ALFRED McCALLUM ROBBINS, U. S. Marine Corps, Washington, D. C. (22137). Son of Henry Alfred and Elizabeth (MacCallum) Robbins; grandson of Zenas Coleman and Mary J. (Tilden) Robbins; great-grandson of Richard Swift and Evalina Ellen (Byrd) Tilden; great^2-grandson of *John Bell Tilden,* Lieutenant Second Regt. Penna. Line, pensioned; great-grandson of Henry and Abigail (Coleman) Robbins; great^2-grandson of Zenas Coleman; great^3-grandson of *Noah Coleman,* Surgeon's Mate Second Regt. Conn. Line.

THEODORE FRELINGHUYSEN SARGENT, Washington, D. C. (23028). Son of Levi and Mary Ann (Welch) Sargent; grandson of Thomas and Naomi (Westfall) Sargent; great-grandson of *Abraham Westfall,* Captain, Lieut. Col. A. Pawling's Regt. New York Levies and New York Line, pensioned.

AUGUSTUS CARRIER TAYLOR, Washington, D. C. (22142). Son of Nathaniel Terry and Mary Eliza (Carrier) Taylor; grandson of Nathaniel Terry and Laura (Winchell) Taylor; great-grandson of John and Elizabeth (Terry) Taylor; great^2-grandson of *Nathaniel Terry,* Major Nineteenth Regt. Conn. Militia.

EDWARD THOMAS, Washington, D. C. (23032). Son of Allen C. and Rebecca H. (Marble) Thomas; grandson of Russel and Phebe (Almy) Marble; great-grandson of *Aaron Marble,* private Mass. Continental Troops; great^2-grandson of *Enoch Marble,* Lieutenant, Captain Sibley's Company Mass. Militia.

WASHINGTON TOPHAM, Washington, D. C. (22147). Son of James Smith and Ann Maria (White) Topham; grandson of Enoch and Eliza (Barron) White; great-grandson of *Daniel Barron,* private, Capt. Belain Posey's Company Maryland Flying Camp.

WILLIAM ELLEGOOD VAUGHAN, Washington, D. C. (23033). Son of William Ellegood and Claudia (Morris) Vaughan; grandson of Thomas and Claudia (Ellegood) Vaughan; great-grandson of William and Sarah G. (Matthews) Ellegood; great^2-grandson of *Thomas Matthews,* Lieutenant-Colonel, Engineer, Virginia Troops, retired as Brigadier-General.

THOMAS NORRIS VINCENT, Washington, D. C. (23029). Son of Thomas McCurdy and Laura Louise (Lancaster) Vincent; grandson of Thomas Carlton and Jane (McCurdy) Vincent; great-grandson of John and Agnes (Tait) McCurdy; great^2-grandson of *John McCurdy,* Second Lieutenant, Wilson's Battalion, Continental Establishment Penna. Line.

JOHN CATESBY WEEDON, Washington, D. C. (22138). Son of Peter Trone and Louisa (French) Weedon; grandson of John Catesby and Elizabeth (Trone) Weedon; great-grandson of *Augustine Weedon,* Sergeant, Colonel Brent's Regt. Virginia Line.

CLIFFORD RIDDLE WHYTE, Washington, D. C. (22135). Son of Thomas D. and Rose (Riddle) Whyte; grandson of Thomas Jefferson and Elizabeth (Munger) Whyte; great-grandson of Alexander and Elizabeth (Purvis) Whyte; great^2-grandson of *George Purvis,* Quartermaster Battalion Flying Camp, Colonel Patterson's Delaware Regt.

FLORIDA SOCIETY.

ALEXANDER CLEMENTS BLOUNT, III, Pensacola, Fla. (20684). Son of Alexander C. and Clara Garnier (Dorr) Blount, Jr.; grandson of Alexander C. and Julia Elizabeth (Washington) Blount; great-grandson of Frederick and Rachel (Heritage) Blount; great^2-grandson of *James Blount,* Captain Second North Carolina Regt.; great^2-grandson of *John Heritage,* Captain Second North Carolina Regt.

HAYDN WATERS CROSBY, Jackson, Fla. (20685). Son of Joseph Haydn and Edith Elida (Day) Crosby; grandson of Joseph Haydn and Zerina (Streeter) Crosby; great-grandson of Joseph Ives and Sarah Ann (Barlow) Crosby; great^2-grandson of Abner and Hannah (Bradley) Crosby; great^3-grandson of *John* Crosby, private, Captain Higgins's Company, Colonel Marshall's Mass. Regt.

FRANCIS WINGATE HAYES, Pensacola, Fla. (20683). Son of Henry Wingate and Nancy (Baker) Hayes; grandson of Wingate and Abby Maria (Bowler) Hayes; great-grandson of Charles Lee and Hannah Gibbs (Aborn) Bowler; great^2-grandson of Samuel Bourse and Abigail (Lee) Bowler; great^3-grandson of *Metcalf Bowler,* Associate Justice and Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Rhode Island, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

JOHN EDGAR STILLMAN, Pensacola, Fla. (20686). Son of John E. and Mary S. (Lashier) Stillman; grandson of Samuel and Sarah (Durfey) Lashier; great-grandson of *John Durfey,* private, Colonel Ely's Regt. Conn. Troops.

HAWAIIAN SOCIETY.

HARRIE CUTLER COBURN, Elule Kauai, Hawaii (20412). Son of J. Milton and Abbie M. (Cutler) Coburn; grandson of Aaron G. and Lucy F. (Nourse) Cutler; great-grandson of Ebenezer and Millie (Blake) Cutler; great^2-grandson of *Ebenezer Cutler,* private Mass. Troops.

EDWIN AUSTIN JONES, Honolulu, Hawaii (20411). Son of Edwin Austin and Isabella (Fuller) Jones; grandson of Peter Cushman and Cornelia (Hall) Jones; great-grandson of Peter Cushman and Jane McIntosh (Baldwin) Jones; great^2-grandson of Josiah and Jane (McIntosh) Baldwin; great^3-grandson of *Isaac Baldwin,* Captain First New Hampshire Regt., Col. Isaac Stark; great^3-grandson of *Peter McIntosh,* blacksmith and gunsmith Quartermaster's Dept. Mass. Militia; great-grandson of Edwin Oscar and Sarah Lyons (Williams) Hall; great^2-grandson of Owen and Sophia (Sibley) Hall; great^3-grandson of Asa and Irene (Carpenter) Sibley; great^4-grandson of *Timothy Sibley,* Member of Committee of Safety of Sutton, Mass., 1776, Colonel Mass. Militia.

HOWARD CHARLES MOHR, Honolulu, Hawaii (20403). Supplementals. Son of Charles Shoemaker and Katharine (Kershner) Mohr; grandson of Daniel and Elizabeth (Umbenhauer) Kershner; great-grandson of John and Katharine (Hart) Kershner; great^2-grandson of *Conrad* (and Catharine Rieser) *Kershner, Jr.,* private First Berks County Regt. Penna. Militia; great^3-grandson of Conrad and Elizabeth (Bertolette) Kershner; great^4-grandson of Frederick and Esther (Levan) Bertolette; great^5-grandson of *Abraham Levan,* prisoners' guard, Captain Geist's Company Fourth Berks County Battalion Penna. Militia; great^3-grandson of *Jacob Rieser,* Corporal, Capt. Nicholas Scheffer's Company First Berks County Battalion Penna. Militia; great-grandson of Samuel and Magdalena (Leonard) Umbenhauer; great^2-grandson of Philip and Elizabeth (Shappelle) Leonard; great^3-grandson of *Jacob Leonard,* fifer, Captain Lodick's Company, Col. Samuel Ely's Battalion Berks County Militia.

RALPH JOSEPH RICHARDSON, Honolulu, Hawaii (20410). Son of Walter Jay and Sarah (Sager) Richardson; grandson of Joseph and Lydia Phelps (Read) Richardson; great-grandson of Sampson and Huldah (Bisbee) Read; great^2-grandson of Sampson and Jane (Ellis) Read; great^3-grandson of *Sampson Read,* private, Capt. Jonathan Minott's Company, Colonel Baldwin's Mass. Regt.; great^3-grandson of *Freeman Ellis,* Corporal, Capt. John Bradford's Company, Colonel Cotton's Mass. Regt.; great^2-grandson of *Elisha Bisbee,* private, Capt. Amos Turner's Company, Col. John Bailey's and other Mass. Regts.; great^3-grandson of *Charles Bisbee,* private, Capt. Freeman Chamberlain's Company, Colonel Bailey's Mass. Regt.

FRANK ADAMS RICHMOND, Honolulu, Hawaii (18946). Supplementals. Son of Alfred and Emily (Adams) Richmond; grandson of Samuel and Mary Joanna (Moulton) Adams; great-grandson of Jotham Tilden and Mary Joanna (Farrar) Moulton; great^2-grandson of Jotham and Joanna (Tilden) Moulton; great^2-grandson of *Jotham Moulton,* Brigadier-General Mass. Militia; great^2-grandson of *Humphrey Farrar,* private, Col. Eleazer Brooks's Regt. Mass. Militia; great^3-grandson of *Samuel Farrar,* Member of Committee of Correspondence and Safety, Lieutenant Mass. Minute Men; great-grandson of Isaac and Olive (Wight) Adams; great^2-grandson of *Samuel Adams,* private, Col. Enoch Hale's New Hampshire Regt.; great^2-grandson of *Joel Wight,* private, Colonel Phinney's Mass. Regt., pensioned.

IDAHO SOCIETY.

EDWARD EVERETT BOWEN, De Lamar, Idaho (21356). Son of Caleb Tillinghast and Lydia Waterman (Knight) Bowen; grandson of Joseph and Abagail (Tillinghast) Bowen; great-grandson of Pardon and Mary (Sweet) Tillinghast; great^2-grandson of *Charles Tillinghast,* Recruiting Officer Rhode Island Troops.

HORACE LORENZO CHAMBERLAIN, Boise, Idaho (21355). Son of Lorenzo and Nancy (Holmes) Chamberlain; grandson of Horace and Deborah Page (Moulton) Holmes; great-grandson of *Amos Page,* private Mass. Continental Troops.

FREDERIC IRWIN, Dewey, Idaho (21352). Son of John and Martha Mary (Nevin) Irwin, Jr.; grandson of John and Hannah (Taylor) Irwin; great-grandson of *John Irwin,* Captain First Battalion Second Penna. Regt. Continental Line; grandson of John and Martha (McCracken) Nevin; great-grandson of *Daniel Nevin,* private Penna. Militia; great-grandson of *William McCracken,* Second Lieutenant, Capt. Matthew Scott's Company Thirteenth Penna. Regt.

WILMOT HENRY GIBSON, Boise, Idaho (21353). Son of Wilmot Byron and Helen (Stewart) Gibson; grandson of John and Sarah (Randolph) Stewart; great-grandson of Taylor F. and Rebecca (Ulery) Randolph; great^2-grandson of *Robert Fitz Randolph,* private under Col. Wm. Cook in Battle of Germantown, later, as *Robert Randolph,* served in New Jersey Minute Men.

CHARLES AINSWORTH HASTINGS, Lewiston, Idaho (21354). Son of Charles and Martha (Tuttle) Hastings; grandson of James and Sally (Mead) Hastings; great-grandson of Samuel and Lydia (Nelson) Hastings; great^2-grandson of *Samuel Hastings,* Major on General Lee's staff, prisoner.

JOHN HENRY UPTON, Boise, Idaho (21357). Son of Henry Bingham and Janet Upton; grandson of John and Sarah (Wetherspoon) Upton, Jr.; great-grandson of *John Upton,* Lieutenant Lynn Company Mass. Militia.

WILLARD WHITE, Boise, Idaho (21351). Son of Selden and Diadama Hannah (Barbour) White; grandson of Giles and Mary (Garrett) Barbour; great-grandson of John and Mary (Case) Garrett, Jr.; great^2-grandson of *John (Wait) Garrett,* Major Twenty-sixth Conn. Regt., killed at Wyoming Massacre July 13, 1778.

ILLINOIS SOCIETY.

WILLIAM GRIFFIN ADKINS, Chicago, Ill. (22240). Son of William G. and Sarah (Matthewson) Adkins; grandson of William and Arabella (Abbey) Adkins; great-grandson of Peter and Hannah (Alden) Abbey; great²-grandson of *Thomas Abbe,* Captain Third Conn. Line; grandson of Jeremiah Angell and Elizabeth (Hazard) Matthewson; great-grandson of Jeremiah Angell and Electa (Cross) Matthewson; great²-grandson of *Uriah Cross,* private, Captain Ensign's Company, Colonel Moseley's Conn. Regt.

DAVIS C. ALTON, Chicago, Ill. (22606). Son of William and Caroline (Bainbridge) Alton; grandson of Abijah H. and Eliza (Whipple) Bainbridge; great-grandson of *Richard Bainbridge,* private, Captain Nixon's Troop New Jersey Light Horse.

WILLIAM PRESTON ASA, Springfield, Ill. (22343). Son of Jefferson and Mary (Davis) Asa; grandson of James and Margaret (Slover) Asa; great-grandson of *John Slover,* private Middlesex County New Jersey Militia, scout in Crawford's Sandusky Expedition.

FRED HOLMES ATWOOD, Chicago, Ill. (22328). Son of Ephraim Atwood; grandson of Benjamin and Mary Abigail (Olney) Atwood; great-grandson of John and Betsey (Whitney) Atwood; great²-grandson of *Benjamin Atwood,* private Fourth Orange County Regt. New York Militia; great²-grandson of Thomas and Hannah (Parker) Whitney; great³-grandson of *Daniel Whitney,* private Fourth Orange County Regt. New York Militia.

CHARLES SCAMMON BARKER, Chicago, Ill. (22048). Son of James Scammon and Ann (Bean) Barker; grandson of Benjamin and Lydia (Scammon) Barker; great-grandson of Noah and Mary Colcord (Philbrick) Barker; great²-grandson of *Josiah Barker,* private, Captain Weare's Company, Colonel Scammel's Third New Hampshire Regt.

FRANK MARION BARKER, Waukegan, Ill. (22932). Son of Thomas Oscar and Mary Ann (Needham) Barker; grandson of Joshua Perry and Polly (Cottrell) Barker; great-grandson of James Willard and Martha (Perry) Willard; great²-grandson of *Joshua Perry,* Surgeon, Colonel Church's Battalion Rhode Island Militia.

GEORGE MARSHALL BLACK, Oak Park, Ill. (19800). Supplemental. Son of John and Rachel (Patterson) Black; grandson of George and Hannah (Ross) Black; great-grandson of *John Ross,* private Fourth Penna. Battalion, Col. Anthony Wayne.

WILLIAM JOSEPH BOWMAN, Minneapolis, Minn. (Ill. 22336). Son of Joseph Pierce and Helen Maria (Day) Bowman; grandson of Thaddeus and Anna (Hunt) Bowman; great-grandson of *Thaddeus Bowman, Jr.,* private, Col. John Parker's Company Lexington Minute Men, April 19, 1775, and Col. Nathan Sparhawk's Mass. Regt., 1777.

JOHN JAY BRYANT, Jr., Chicago, Ill. (22250). Son of John Jay and Matilda (Miller) Bryant; grandson of Aaron and Joanna (Hatfield) Lyon; great-grandson of *David Lyon,* Captain, Colonel Spencer's New Jersey Regt.; great-grandson of *Aaron Hatfield,* private Essex County New Jersey Militia.

OLIVER NORTH CALDWELL, Oak Park, Ill. (22341). Son of Henry Wallace and Hannah Ann (North) Caldwell; grandson of Robert F. and Julia (Comingo) Caldwell; great-grandson of Robert and Margaret (Cook) Caldwell; great²-grandson of *Alexander Caldwell,* private, Lieut. William Nesbitt's Company Penna. Frontier Rangers.

GEORGE ANGUS CAMERON, Chicago, Ill. (22234). Son of Angus and Susan (Woodruff) Cameron; grandson of Alonson and Lucy (Shaw) Woodruff; great-grandson of *Joseph Shaw,* private, Captain Smith's Company, Colonel Marshall's Mass. Regt., pensioned.

ALFRED ERNEST CASE, Antioch, Ill. (22050). Son of Spencer Silas and Hannah Minnie (Wilkinson) Case; grandson of Grove and Alana (Baudell) Case; great-grandson of *Elisha Case,* private, Colonel Huntington's Conn. Regt.

SETH CATLIN, Chicago, Ill. (22331). Son of George and Imogen Blanche Catlin; grandson of Seth and Helen Mar (Griswold) Catlin; great-grandson of Richard and Charlotte (Stebbins) Catlin; great²-grandson of Joseph and Lucy (Frary) Stebbins; great³-grandson of *Joseph Stebbins,* Captain, Col. William Prescott's Regt. Mass. Militia.

ALEXANDER M. CHENEY, Jerseyville, Ill. (22933). Son of Prentiss D. and Catherine M. (D'Arcy) Cheney; grandson of Edward A. and Mary (McEowen) D'Arcy; great-grandson of *John D'Arcy, Dorsey,* Surgeon's Mate, "Spencer's Regiment," Continental Army.

BERYL HOWARD CHILDS, Chicago, Ill. (22620). Son of Frank Luther and Minnie Bernice (Rogers) Childs; grandson of Bernard and Ann Maria (Buck) Rogers; great-grandson of James Henry and Ann (Ver Bryck) Rogers; great²-grandson of Henry and Jane (Tappan) Rogers; great³-grandson of *James Tappan,* private, Capt. Jacob Ten Eyck's Company First Battalion Somerset Regt. New Jersey Militia.

FRANK LUTHER CHILDS, Chicago, Ill. (22349). Son of Harvey Harrison and Luthera (Atwood) Childs; grandson of Franklin and Arminda (Anderson) Atwood; great-grandson of Hiram and Jerusha (Kinney) Anderson; great²-grandson of *Daniel Kinney,* private Conn. Troops, pensioned.

JAMES WALTER CLARK, Chicago, Ill. (22934). Son of Austin S. and Evelina B. (Dickinson) Clark; grandson of Nehemiah and Julia (Sabin) Dickinson; great-grandson of *Joseph Dickinson,* Ensign First Company Second Conn. Continental Regt.; great-grandson of *Jonathan Sabin,* Corporal Conn. Militia, Midshipman Continental frigate "Trumbull," pensioned.

JOHN LEWIS COCHRAN, Chicago, Ill. (22350). Son of John Lewis and Martha Tennant (Austin) Cochran; grandson of John Punderson and Susan (Rogers) Austin; great-grandson of *David Austin, 3d,* private Conn. Volunteers in New Haven alarm, 1779.

EDGAR LATHROP COTTING, River Forest, Ill. (22330). Son of Charles Lathrop and Hannah Amelia (Upson) Cotting; grandson of Thomas Spencer and Jane (Burgess) Cotting; great-grandson of Samuel and Hannah (Goodridge) Cotting; great²-grandson of *Samuel Cutting,* Sergeant, Col. Asa Whitcomb's Mass. Regt.; great²-grandson of Asaph and Hannah (Walker) Goodridge; great³-grandson of *David Goodridge,* Representative Second Provincial Congress at Concord, Cambridge, and Watertown, Mass., 1775.

PHILIP ROSE CRIPPEN, Chicago, Ill. (22226). Son of Arthur Jay and Ella Gertrude (Rose) Crippen; grandson of James Bradley and Mary Ann (Butterworth) Crippen; great-grandson of Lorenzo D. and Ruth H. (Haynes) Crippen; great²-grandson of Bradley and Esther (Hard) Crippen; great³-grandson of *Ezra Crippen,* Corporal, Capt. George King's Company, Colonel Hopkins's Berkshire County Regt. Mass. Militia.

THOMAS STEWART DENISON, Chicago, Ill. (22928). Son of Alexander McCoy and Esther (Stewart) Denison; grandson of James and Agnes (Baggs) Dennison; great-grandson of *James Dennison,* Sergeant Eighth Penna. Regt. Continental Line.

HENRY J. DUDLEY, Springfield, Ill. (22607). Son of Franklin Fowler and Elvira (Meyers) Dudley; grandson of James Harvey and Eliza Betsy (Bray) Dudley; great-grandson of Erastus and Ruth (Fowler) Dudley; great²-grandson of *Ebenezer Fowler,* Lieutenant, Capt. Steven Hall's Company Conn. Militia.

ALBERT D. EARLY, Rockford, Ill. (22621). Son of John and Sophronia H. (Brown) Early; grandson of John and Julia A. (Fulmer) Early; great-grandson of *Casper Fulmer,* private, Capt. Henry Bedkin's Second Troop First Partisan Legion, Colonel Armand.

CHARLES LEONARD FERRIS, Carthage, Ill. (22930). Son of Leonard Thompson and Helen Minerva Ferris; grandson of Stephen Gano and Eunice (Beebe) Ferris; great-grandson of *Israel* (and Ruth Mead) *Ferris,* private Conn. Militia; great²-grandson of *Jonathan Mead,* Lieutenant Dutchess County New York Militia.

LEROY FOGLE, Chicago, Ill. (22939). Son of I. M. and Cassie T. (Hogg) Fogle; grandson of Peter and Annarah H. (Dent) Fogle; great-grandson of *John Dent,* Second Lieutenant Ninth Virginia Regt.

ENOCH HANSBROUGH FUDGE, Chicago, Ill. (22337). Son of Jacob and Elsie King (Hansbrough) Fudge; grandson of Conrad and Elizabeth (Persinger) Fudge; great-grandson of *Jacob Persinger,* scout at battle of Point Pleasant, Corporal, Capt. Matthew Arbuckle's Company, Major Nevelle's Regt. Virginia Line, pensioned.

WILLIAM DWIGHT GALPIN, Chicago, Ill. (22623). Son of Sylvester and Clarissa (Smith) Galpin; grandson of *Amos Galpin,* Ensign, Captain Stanley's Company, Colonel Sherburne's Conn. Regt., pensioned.

CORBUS PLUMMER GARDNER, Mendota, Ill. (22603). Son of George Washington and Margaret (Smith) Gardner; grandson of James Smith; great-grandson of *James Smith,* Member of Pennsylvania Assembly, 1777, and Colonel Third Westmoreland County Battalion Penna. Militia.

DE WITT R. GOOCH, Bellflower, Ill. (22339). Son of Thomas and Lydia Capen (Roulstone) Gooch; grandson of Thomas and Sallie (Loring) Gooch; great-grandson of James and Mary (Davenport) Gooch; great²-grandson of *Joseph Gooch, Jr.,* private, Col. Benjamin Lincoln's Mass. Regt.; grandson of John and Hannah (Capen) Roulstone; great-grandson of *John Capen,* private, Capt. Lemuel Gill's Dorchester Company Mass. Militia.

CHARLES HENRY GOODNOW, Chicago, Ill. (22927). Son of George F. and Hannah A. (Chase) Goodnow; grandson of Henry and Sophia (Dickey) Goodnow; great-grandson of Matthew and Elizabeth (March) Dickey; great²-grandson of *Adam Dickey,* Sergeant, Capt. Wm. Boyes's Company, Colonel Reynolds's New Hampshire Regt.

EDWARD EVERETT GORE, La Grange, Ill. (22346). Son of David and Cinderella Davis (Keller) Gore; grandson of Michael and Elizabeth (Mitchell) Gore; great-grandson of *Eleazer Gore,* private, Capt. Richard Winn's Company of Rangers, Col. William Thompson's South Carolina Regt.

FRANK GREENE, Chicago, Ill. (22241). Son of Jesse and Hannah (Rhoads) Greene; grandson of John and Barbara (Grove) Green; great-grandson of *Benjamin Green.* private Virginia Troops.

WILBUR CLAY HADLEY, Collinsville, Ill. (22230). Son of William and Diadama (McKinney) Hadley; grandson of *John McKinney,* private, Morgan's Rifle Regt., Corporal and Scout South Carolina Continental Troops.

WILLIAM EDWIN HADLEY, Edwardsville, Ill. (22231). Son of Wilbur Clay and Mary Sophonia (Smith) Hadley; grandson of William and Diadama (McKinney) Hadley; great-grandson of *John McKinney,* private, Morgan's Rifle Regt., Corporal and Scout South Carolina Troops.

FRANK CHAMBERLAIN HASELTON, Chicago, Ill. (22242). Son of Jared Munson and Elizabeth (Chamberlain) Haselton; grandson of Moses and Martha (Child) Chamberlain; great-grandson of *Cephas Child,* private, Col. Israel Putman's Third Conn. Regt.

GEORGE BYRON HOLMES, Chicago, Ill. (22622). Son of George Winton and Sarah P. (Cooke) Holmes; grandson of George Washington and Sara B. (Hiland) Cooke; great-grandson of Ebenezer and Martha (Nims) Cooke, Jr.; great²-grandson of *Ebenezer Cooke,* Lieutenant, Capt. John Pratt's Company, Col. Ebenezer Walbridge's Vermont Regt.

BRUCE LEON HOLTON, Oak Park, Ill. (22608). Son of Charles Henry and Melissa Amelia (Hogendobler) Holton; grandson of Henry H. and Susan (Colton) Holton; great-grandson of Janna and Brices (Smith) Holton; great^2-grandson of *Nehemiah Smith,* private, Capt. Abraham Salisbury's Company Vermont Militia.

CHARLES BABCOCK HOSSACK, Odell, Ill. (22609). Son of John and Mary (Babcock) Hossack; grandson of William R. and Myra F. (Marsh) Babcock; great-grandson of Charles and Nancy (Pratt) Babcock; great^2-grandson of Peleg Bill Pratt; great^3-grandson of *David Pratt,* Lieutenant-Colonel Ninth Albany County Regt. New York Militia.

HENDERSON M. HUFF, Chicago, Ill. (22347). Son of William and Margaret (Davis) Huff; grandson of Aquila and Mary (Rawlins) Huff; great-grandson of *John Hough, Huff,* private Maryland Troops, 1778.

GEORGE CUYLER HUNT, Chicago, Ill. (22049). Son of William Carleton and Ellen (Cuyler) Hunt; grandson of Reuben and Emeline Hunt; great-grandson of Salmon and Ruby (Whitney) Hunt; great^2-grandson of *Russell Hunt,* Sergeant, Captain Watson's Company, Col. Heman Swift's Regt. Conn. Line.

GERALD CARY HUTTON, Chicago, Ill. (22926). Son of Anson Isaac and Jennie Ann (Cary) Hutton; grandson of Levi and Eleanor Hutton; great-grandson of John and Elizabeth (Smith) Hutton; great^2-grandson of *Timothy Hutton,* Ensign, Col. Philip Schuyler's New York Regt.

RALPH CLAYTON KENT, Chicago, Ill. (22228). Son of Henry Robertson and M. Lillian (McNally) Kent; grandson of Ralph Voorhees and Martha Calloway (Robertson) Kent; great-grandson of Clayton and Catherine Ann (Voorhees) Kent; great^2-grandson of *Phineas Kent,* private, Col. David Herman's Regt. New Jersey Militia.

BENJAMIN F. LANGWORTHY, River Forest, Ill. (22335). Son of George Irish and Ann Lockhart (Karr) Langworthy; grandson of Benjamin F. and Eliza (Irish) Langworthy; great-grandson of John and Sarah (Pendleton) Langworthy; great^2-grandson of Nathan and Amelia (Babcock) Pendleton; great^3-grandson of *James Babcock,* Lieutenant-Colonel Rhode Island Militia, Member of Rhode Island General Assembly.

RUDOLPH WENDELL LE BARON, Chicago, Ill. (22611). Son of John Francis and Mary Brown (Kinsman) Le Baron Patch (name changed from Patch to Le Baron); grandson of John and Margaret Ann Gurley (Poor) Patch; great-grandson of John and Judith (Corning) Patch; great^2-grandson of *Nehemiah Patch,* private, Capt. Robert Perkins's Company Light Horse, Maj. Charles Smith's Mass. Regt.

JAMES ALBERT LEWIS, Oak Park, Ill. (22037). Supplementals. Son of John and Julia (Clarke) Lewis; grandson of John and Olive (Jackson) Clarke; great-grandson of Deodatus and Nancy (Dunham) Clarke; great^2-grandson of *Daniel Dunham,* private, Capt. Daniel Dewey's Company Conn. Militia; grandson of Benjamin Lewis; great-grandson of *Nathan Lewis,* private Second Regt. New York Line.

OLIVER CULVER LORTON, Virden, Ill. (22610). Son of James Nance and Amy Ann (Baldwin) Lorton; grandson of Thomas and Frances (Nance) Lorton; great-grandson of *Robert Lorton,* private Fourth Virginia Regt., Col. Adam Stephen.

FRANK ORREN LOWDEN, Oregon, Ill. (22326). Son of Oren Lorenzo and Nancy Elizabeth (Bryborn) Lowden; grandson of Oren and Jerusha (Loomis) Lowden; great-grandson of *John Loomis,* private Conn. and Mass. Militia, pensioned.

CHESTER REUBEN LOWELL, Chicago, Ill. (22243). Son of Luzerne Dow and Clara Suits (Dickinson) Lowell; grandson of Reuben and Catherine (Seeber) Lowell; great-grandson of Abraham and Sally (Inman) Lowell; great^2-grandson of *Moses Lowell,* private New Hampshire Militia.

ERNEST F. MANROSE, Berwyn, Ill. (22236). Son of Fitch and Annie E. (Risley) Manrose; grandson of Philander and Sarah (Robertson) Manrose; great-grandson of Samuel and Betsey (Platt) Robertson; great²-grandson of *Jonas Platt,* private Fourth Conn. Militia, prisoner.

CHARLES EDWARD MERRIAM, Chicago, Ill. (22244). Son of Charles Edward and Margaret Campbell (Kirkwood) Merriam; grandson of Marshall and Susan Maria (Wood) Merriam; great-grandson of *Amos Merriam,* Matross, Capt. Jonathan Edes's Company, Colonel Craft's Artillery Regt.

JOHN HENNON MITCHELL, Evanston, Ill. (22612). Son of Joseph Frazier and Margaret Jeanette (Hennon) Mitchell; grandson of John and Jean Thompson (Ross) Hennon; great-grandson of Thomas Smith and Margaret Cooper (Jackson) Ross; great²-grandson of *John Ross,* private Fourth Penna. Battalion, Col. Anthony Wayne.

THOMAS RICE MORRILL, Chicago, Ill. (22348). Son of John Wesley and Frankie (Farrington) Morrill; grandson of Wesley and Helen M. (Kingsley) Morrill; great-grandson of Hibbard and Betsey (Bradley) Morrill; great²-grandson of *Hibbard Morrill,* private, Col. Thomas Tash's and other New Hampshire Regts.

WESLEY FARRINGTON MORRILL, La Grange, Ill. (22613). Son of John Wesley and Frankie (Farrington) Morrill; grandson of Wesley and Helen M. (Kingsley) Morrill; great-grandson of Hibbard and Betsey (Bradley) Morrill; great²-grandson of *Hibbard Morrill,* private, Col. Thomas Tash's and other New Hampshire Regts.

ELIHU BRADFORD MOSHER, Chicago, Ill. (22227). Son of Elihu Mott and Adelia Ann (Hathaway Peck) Mosher; grandson of Elihu and Meribah (Shepherd) Mosher; great-grandson of *John Mosher,* private Second Bristol County Mass. Regt.

WILLIAM NEWMAN MOULTON, Two Harbors, Minn. (Ill. 22625). Son of Stillman and Mary J. Moulton; grandson of Zebina and Hannah (Taber) Moulton; great-grandson of Nathaniel Moulton; great²-grandson of *Joseph Moulton,* Sergeant, Col. David Brewer's Mass. Regt.; great³-grandson of *Freeborn Moulton,* Captain of Monson, Mass. Company of Minute Men, April 19, 1775.

ORETT LYMAN MUNGER, Chicago, Ill. (22334). Son of Lyman and Martha Stebbins (Whitney) Munger; grandson of Gaius and Abigail (Button) Munger; great-grandson of Daniel and Elizabeth (Worthington) Munger; great²-grandson of *Elnathan Munger,* private, Colonel Brewer's and Colonel Shephard's Mass. Regts., died in service Oct. 5, 1777.

RALPH ERNEST PACKARD, Chicago, Ill. (22245). Son of Wm. A. and Jennie A. (Preston) Packard; grandson of Horace and Lucy Jane (Wood) Preston; great-grandson of Jeremiah and Ann (Proctor) Preston; great²-grandson of *Isaac Preston,* Sergeant, Capt. Ebenezer Green's Company, Col. Timothy Bedel's Regt. New Hampshire Line.

CHARLES EMANUEL RANSOM, Lexington, Ill. (22605). Son of Thomas Lord and Anna (Pierson) Ransom; grandson of Arthur V. and Phebe (Cook) Pierson; great-grandson of *John Pierson,* private First Essex County Battalion New Jersey Militia.

FRANK MOULTON REDDY, Chicago, Ill. (22602). Son of John C. and Josephine Venetia (Moulton) Reddy; grandson of Daniel Johnson and Elizabeth (Cleveland) Moulton; great-grandson of Joseph and Mary Elizabeth (Johnson) Moulton; great²-grandson of *Stephen Moulton,* Lieutenant-Colonel Twenty-second Conn. Regt., 1775; prisoner, 1776; Member of Conn. General Court, 1778-1780.

SAMUEL WALTER REYNOLDS, Pinckneyville, Ill. (22345). Son of Samuel and Phœbe (Wiard) Reynolds; grandson of Jonathan and Martha (Sutliffe) Reynolds; great-grandson of *Samuel Reynolds,* private, Capt. Josiah Child's Company Fifth Conn. Regt., Col. Philip B. Bradley.

PERCY LEE RICHTMYER, Chicago, Ill. (22333). Son of Alonzo and Ella C. (Kilmer) Richtmyer; grandson of Peter and Helen M. (Netheway) Kilmer, Jr.; great-grandson of Peter and Sophia (Butler) Kilmer; great^2-grandson of Thomas and Elizabeth (Dana) Butler; great^3-grandson of *James Dana,* Captain, Col. Andrew Ward's Conn. Regt.; grandson of Phillip and Elizabeth (Loucks) Richtmyer; great-grandson of William and Eve (Karker) Richtmyer; great^2-grandson of *Christian Richtmyer,* private, Capt. Thomas Ackerson's Company New York Militia.

RALPH CLIFTON RILEY, Casey, Ill. (22246). Son of Millard F. and Martha Wayne (Wands) Riley; grandson of Isaac H. and Harriet (Wayne) Wands; great-grandson of James B. and Catherine (Hardenbergh) Wands; great^2-grandson of Isaac and Rachel (Graham) Hardenbergh; great^3-grandson of *Johannes Hardenbergh.* Colonel Fourth Ulster County Regt. New York Militia.

NORMAN KING ROBB, Chicago, Ill. (22229). Son of Alexander G. and Martha J. (Marquis) Robb; grandson of Thomas and Sarah Ann (Lyle) Marquis; great-grandson of Samuel and Mary (Mason) Lyle; great^2-grandson of *Robert Lyle,* private, Capt. John Arndt's Company First Northampton County Battalion Penna. Associators.

EDWARD SIDNEY ROGERS, Chicago, Ill. (22232). Son of James Harriman and Susan Hayden (Fisher) Rogers; grandson of Messenger and Ann Wadsworth (Fletcher) Fisher; great-grandson of William and Luna (Wadsworth) Fletcher; great^2-grandson of *Joseph Wadsworth,* Ensign Twenty-third Continental Infantry, Captain Fourth Mass. Infantry; great-grandson of *Ebenezer Fisher,* private, Col. Benjamin Hawes's Mass. Regt.; grandson of Joseph and Joan (Harriman) Rogers; great-grandson of James and Sarah (Swett) Harriman; great^2-grandson of *Peter Harriman,* private Seventh New Hampshire Regt.; great^2-grandson of *Shebna Swett,* private, Colonel Freeman's Regt. Mass. Militia; great-grandson of Joseph and Salome (Nickerson) Rogers; great^2-grandson of *Moses Rogers,* private, Capt. Seth Clark's Company Mass. Militia.

REUBEN FRANCIS RUTH, Springfield, Ill. (22238). Son of Reuben Francis and Marie Weaver (Diller) Ruth; grandson of Jonathan and Ann (Weaver) Diller; great-grandson of Isaac and Susanna (Roland) Diller; great^2-grandson of Jonathan and Catherine (Huber) Roland; great^3-grandson of *John Huber,* private First Penna. Continental Regt.

JOHN MELOY STAHL, Chicago, Ill. (22624). Son of Elias and Ann Elizabeth (Nitzell) Stahl; grandson of Jacob and Jane (Meloy) Stahl; great-grandson of *Henry Stahl,* private Eighth Cumberland County Battalion Penna. Militia.

EDWARD HALL SWITZER, Chicago, Ill. (22327). Son of Richard H. and Sarah Jane (Hall) Switzer; grandson of Isaac and Experience Lawrence (Spofford) Hall; great-grandson of Amos and Experience (Lawrence) Spofford; great^2-grandson of *Thomas Lawrence,* private, Colonel Bradley's Battalion Wadsworth's Conn. Brigade.

BEN F. TAIT, Chicago, Ill. (22340). Son of Joseph S. and Martha E. (Dillehunt) Tait; grandson of James D. and Susan (Spangler) Tait; great-grandson of Joseph and Barbara (Beusley) Spangler, Jr.; great^2-grandson of *Joseph Spangler,* Major Fifth York County Battalion Penna. Militia.

BURT EUGENE TILDEN, Chicago, Ill. (22247). Son of Charles and Adeline Clarissa (King) Tilden; grandson of Mason and Sally (Blackman) Tilden; great-grandson of *Daniel Tilden,* Captain, Colonel McClellan's Conn. Regt., pensioned.

WILLIAM BEVERLY TOWLES, Chicago, Ill. (22614). Son of Alfred Lewis and Jane Pleasants (Vaughan) Towles; grandson of Oliver and Agatha (Lewis) Towles; great-grandson of *Oliver Towles,* Lieutenant-Colonel Fifth Virginia Regt.

HART VANCE, Chicago, Ill. (22344). Son of Morgan and Susan Preston (Thompson) Vance; grandson of George Claiborne and Sarah Simpson (Hart) Thompson; great-grandson of *George Thompson,* Major of Virginia Troops, Member of Virginia Assembly, Aide-de-Camp to General Lafayette, pensioned.

JOSEPH ANDERSON VANCE, Chicago, Ill. (22604). Son of Charles Robertson and Margaret J. (Newland) Vance; grandson of James H. and Jane (Sevier) Vance; great-grandson of William K. and Keziah (Robertson) Vance; great²-grandson of *Patrick Vance,* private Eighth Cumberland County Battalion Penna. Militia; great-grandson of Valentine and Nancy (Dinwiddie) Sevier; great²-grandson of *Robert Sevier,* Captain North Carolina Militia, died Oct. 12, 1780, from wound at Battle of Kings Mountain.

PERCY ORVILLE WARD, Chicago, Ill. (22615). Son of John Alexander and Louisa (Patterson) Ward; grandson of Johnathan and Perlina (Karraker) Patterson; great-grandson of Levi and Jane Penrod (Beggs) Patterson; great²-grandson of *James Patterson,* private, Colonel Rutherford's North Carolina Regt., pensioned.

ADRIAN DUNCAN WARING, Chicago, Ill. (22936). Son of James Duncan and Marie Josephine (Laffan) Waring; grandson of William Henry and Kate (Bernard) Waring; great-grandson of Nathaniel Ferris and Clara Anne (Bennett) Waring; great²-grandson of Henry and Susan (Peck) Waring; great³-grandson of *Henry Waring,* Captain-Lieutenant Second Continental New York Artillery.

JAMES DUNCAN WARING, Chicago, Ill. (22935). Son of William Henry and Kate (Bernard) Waring; grandson of Nathaniel Ferris and Clara Anne (Bennett) Waring; great-grandson of Henry and Susan (Peck) Waring; great²-grandson of *Henry Waring,* Captain-Lieutenant Second New York Continental Artillery.

GEORGE GARDNER WEST, Chicago, Ill. (22601). Son of George W. and M. Amelia (Allan) West; grandson of James M. and Susannah D. (Stewart) Allan; great-grandson of Roderick R. and Clarissa (Dresser) Stewart; great²-grandson of *Elisha Stewart,* private, Col. Nathaniel Freeman's and Colonel Alden's Mass. Regts.

CARLOS FIELD WHITE, Chicago, Ill. (22235). Son of Charles Mason and Emily Elizabeth (Field) White; grandson of Horatio Nelson and Charity Lamoreaux (Taylor) Field; great-grandson of John and Beulah (Reed) Field; great²-grandson of *John Field, Jr.,* private, Capt. John Hull Jr.'s Company Minute Men North Parish, Braintree, Mass.

BERNARD MOULTON WIEDINGER, Chicago, Ill. (22929). Son of Bernard M. and Mary Deane (Moulton) Wiedenger; grandson of Jotham Tilden and Ann P. (Cooke) Moulton; great-grandson of Jotham and Mary (Farrar) Moulton; great²-grandson of *Jotham Moulton,* Colonel, Brigadier, York County Mass. Militia.

SIDNEY D. WILGUS, Elgin, Ill. (22938). Son of Frank Augustus and Margaret Anne (Woodcock) Wilgus; grandson of Alfred Waldo and Lavinia (Wheelock) Wilgus; great-grandson of *William Wilgus,* private and Foragemaster New Jersey Militia; great-grandson of John Gleason and Lavinia (Clark) Wheelock; great²-grandson of *Jonathan Wheelock,* private, Capt. James Crilley's Company New Hampshire Militia; great²-grandson of *Gershom Clark,* private Lebanon Company Conn. Militia; grandson of Frederick and Margaret Stewart (Fitch) Woodcock; great-grandson of Francis B. and Eliza Whetten (Dean) Fitch; great²-grandson of *Stewart Dean,* Commander New York privateer "Beam."

STAPLES X. WILLARD, Chicago, Ill. (22248). Son of Frank H. and Minnie H. (Staples) Willard; grandson of Moses W. and Hannah Thatcher (Otis) Staples; great-grandson of Charles Gould and Roxcence (Sheldon) Otis; great^2-grandson of Charles and Elizabeth (Gould) Otis; great^3-grandson of *John Otis,* private, Capt. Ebenezer Jenkins's Company, Colonel Freeman's Mass. Regt.

MARSHALL PHIFER WILLIAMSON, Chicago, Ill. (22619). Son of Marshall N. and Sarah Wilfong (Phifer) Williamson; grandson of Caleb and Adline (Ramseur) Phifer; great-grandson of John and Esther (Fulenwider) Phifer; great^2-grandson of *Martin Phifer,* Captain of Light Horse Dragoons in Continental service and Colonel of North Carolina State Troops.

HENRY IRVING WILSON, Oak Park, Ill. (22329). Son of Henry C. and Louise (Grant) Wilson; grandson of Lazarus B. and Mary Todd (Barbee) Wilson; great-grandson of *Thomas Wilson,* Second Lieutenant First Bucks County Battalion Penna. Militia.

CHARLES THEODORE WILT, Chicago, Ill. (22233). Son of Charles Thomas and Eumerett Amelia (Babcock) Wilt; grandson of George and Lydia (Might) Wilt; great-grandson of John and Sarah (Allen) Wilt; great^2-grandson of George and Abijah (Arden) Wilt; great^3-grandson of *Jacob Arden,* private, Col. Hawk Hays's Orange County Regt. New York Militia.

GEORGE ALEXANDER WORK, Chicago, Ill. (22249). Son of Julius Berney and Ella Virginia (Smith) Work; grandson of George Sullivan and Sophronia (Mayo) Smith; great-grandson of Theophilus and Dorothy (Rollins) Smith, Jr.; great^2-grandson of David and Judith (Currier) Rollins; great^3-grandson of *Benjamin Rawlins, Jr.,* private Fourth New Hampshire Militia.

GEORGE FERGUSON WORK, Hastings, Nebr. (Ill. 22616). Son of John Alexander and Margaret (Gallaher) Work; grandson of Alexander and Jane (Taggert) Work; great-grandson of James and Margaret (Ferguson) Taggert; great^2-grandson of *Ebenezer Ferguson,* First Sergeant First Cumberland County Battalion Penna. Militia, pensioned.

JULIUS BIRNEY WORK, Chicago, Ill. (22342). Son of Samuel Ebenezer Ferguson and Ruth (Green) Work; grandson of Alexander and Jane (Taggert) Work; great-grandson of James and Margaret (Ferguson) Taggert; great^2-grandson of *Ebenezer Ferguson,* First Sergeant First Cumberland County Battalion Penna. Militia, pensioned.

FRANKLIN WYMAN, Chicago, Ill. (22332). Son of Stephen Dow and Ursula R. (Forsaith) Wyman; grandson of Timothy and Abigail (Dow) Wyman; great-grandson of Stephen and Abigail (Jewett) Dow; great^2-grandson of *Reuben Dow,* Captain, Col. William Prescott's Mass. Regt., Chairman of Hollis, N. H., Committee of Safety.

JARED WILSON YOUNG, Chicago, Ill. (22931). Son of Jesse Bowman and Lucy Minshall (Spottswood) Young; grandson of Wilson Lee and Lucy Ann (Minshall) Spottswood; great-grandson of Robert and Lucy (Nimocks) Minshall; great^2-grandson of *Richard Nimocks,* Sergeant, Capt. Malcolm Henry's Company, Col. David Brewer's Ninth Mass. Regt.

INDIANA SOCIETY.

WILLIAM WILSON BARNES, Kokomo, Ind. (21094). Son of William and Susannah (Fowler) Barnes; grandson of *Stephen Barnes,* private Conn. Militia and Sheldon's Dragoons.

MILTON BELL, Kokomo, Ind. (21096). Son of Nathaniel and Nancy (Endicott) Bell; grandson of Henry and Polly Bell; great-grandson of *Nathaniel Bell,* private First Troop First Regt. Penna. Continental Light Dragoons.

GEORGE FRANCIS BICKNELL, East Chicago, Ind. (21090). Son of William H. and Mary Frances (Myers) Bicknell; grandson of Charles Springer and Eliza Jane (Marksbery) Myers; great-grandson of Jacob and Elizabeth (Ridge) Myers; great^2-grandson of *William Ridge,* private Frederick County Maryland Militia.

JOHN BROWNFIELD CAMPBELL, South Bend, Ind. (22703). Son of Marvin and Lydia Ann (Brownfield) Campbell; grandson of Samuel A. and Harriet (Cornell) Campbell; great-grandson of Adam S. and Mary (Adams) Campbell; great^2-grandson of *Hugh Campbell,* private, Col. John Stark's First New Hampshire Regt.

MORTON S. HAWKINS, Indianapolis, Ind. (14805). Supplementals. Son of Nathan Byrd and Genevra Imogene (Jaqua) Hawkins; grandson of Nathan Byrd and Rebecca (Shank or Shunk) Hawkins; great-grandson of John Jay and Nancy (Sellers) Hawkins; great^2-grandson of *Nathan Sellers,* private Chester County Penna. Militia; great^2-grandson of *Samuel Hawkins,* private Virginia State Line; grandson of James Braffett and Eliza Jane (Avery) Jaqua; great-grandson of Judson and Lucinda (Braffett) Jaqua; great^2-grandson of *Gamaliel Jaqua,* private, Colonel Waterbury's Conn. Regt.; great^2-grandson of James and Rebecca (Gore) Braffett; great^3-grandson of *Silas Gore,* Ensign Fifth Company Twenty-fourth Conn. Regt., killed in Wyoming Massacre.

ADDISON JENKINS, Kokomo, Ind. (21099). Son of David C. and Anna M. (Jones) Jenkins; grandson of David and Hannah (McGinnis) Jones; great-grandson of George and Mary (Wood) McGinnis; great^2-grandson of Abinah and Susannah (Humphreys) Wood; great^3-grandson of *Lewis Humphreys,* private, Col. John Haslet's Delaware Regt.

HOWARD C. JENKINS, Kokomo, Ind. (21100). Son of David C. and Anna M. (Jones) Jenkins; grandson of David and Hannah (McGinnis) Jones; great-grandson of George and Mary (Wood) McGinnis; great^2-grandson of Abinah and Susannah (Humphreys) Wood; great^3-grandson of *Lewis Humphreys,* private, Col. John Haslet's Delaware Regt.

JOHN ARTHUR KAUTZ, Kokomo, Ind. (21097). Son of Henry and Eliza (Baker) Kautz; grandson of Frederick and Catherine (Seechrist) Kautz; great-grandson of *John Seechrist,* private First Cumberland County Battalion Penna. Militia.

JOHN JAMES MARLETT, Evansville, Ind. (21092). Son of John Jesse and Martha Jane (Starr) Marlett; grandson of Phillip Mortemer and Elizabeth (Adams) Starr; great-grandson of *George Starr,* Quartermaster Conn. Continental Troops.

ALANSON AUSTIN MILLER, Terre Haute, Ind. (21093). Son of Phillip and Carolyn (Austin) Miller; grandson of Alanson Gates and Sarah (Cornwall) Austin; great-grandson of Burnell Harrison and Carolyn (Brokaw) Cornwall; great^2-grandson of Henry Post and Sarah (Ruble) Brokaw; great^3-grandson of Bergen and Alche (Post) Brokaw; great^4-grandson of *John Brokaw,* Lieutenant, Capt. Peter Vroom's Company, Second Somerset County Battalion New Jersey Militia; great^4-grandson of *Henry Post,* Sergeant, Capt. Peter Vroom's Company Second Somerset Battalion New Jersey Militia; great^2-grandson of William and Mary Scott (Swann) Cornwall; great^3-grandson of Thomas and Jane Byrd (Page) Swann; great^4-grandson of Mann and Mary Mason (Selden) Page; great^5-grandson of *Samuel Selden,* Captain-Lieutenant Virginia Troops.

J. ROLLIN MORGAN, Kokomo, Ind. (21098). Son of Lewis R. and Lu A. (Boyd) Morgan; grandson of Isaac and Mahala (Evans) Boyd; great-grandson of *John Boyd,* private, Col. Daniel Morgan's Virginia Regt.; great-grandson of *Edward Evans,* Sergeant Thirteenth Virginia Regt.

CHARLES MYERS, Gosport, Ind. (21085). Son of Jacob and Elizabeth (Ridge) Myers; grandson of *William Ridge,* private Frederick County Maryland Militia.

ELI H. REDMAN, Terre Haute, Ind. (21095). Son of Hilton P. and Hester R. (Briscoe) Redman; grandson of Joseph and Lucy (Bennett) Redman; great-grandson of *Solomon Redman,* private, Capt. Leonard Cooper's Company Third and Fourth Virginia Regts.; grandson of *Henry Briscoe,* private Fourth Maryland Regt.

GEORGE W. ROSS, Kokomo, Ind. (22701). Son of Richard De Armon and Sarah Jane (Brown) Ross; grandson of Matthew and Mary Ann (Hanna) Brown; great-grandson of Joseph and Sarah (Adair) Hanna; great²-grandson of *Robert Hanna,* private South Carolina Troops.

GEORGE A. SCHAAL, Terre Haute, Ind. (21086). Son of George A. and Mary E. (Sibley) Schaal; grandson of Wallace and Harriett Esther (Vickery) Sibley; great-grandson of John and Mary Elizabeth (May) Sibley; great²-grandson of *Elisha Sibley,* private, Colonel Whitney's and other Mass. Regts.

ELMER DEMETRIUS SHADDAY, Montpelier, Ind. (22702). Son of Jacob S. and Elizabeth (Cotton) Shadday; grandson of Emsley and Polly (Leap) Shadday; great-grandson of *John Leap,* private, Col. Archibald McIlroy's Penna. Regt.; great-grandson of *John Shadday,* private North Carolina Troops, pensioned.

RICHARD E. SIBLEY, Terre Haute, Ind. (21087). Son of William F. and Flora J. (Beel) Sibley; grandson of Elisha and Phœbe R. (Cole) Sibley; great-grandson of *Elisha Sibley,* private, Colonel Whitney's and other Mass. Regts.

BENJAMIN HUGH SMITH, Indianapolis, Ind. (21091). Son of Everett Leslie and Amelia Louisa (Fischer) Smith; grandson of James Parham and Josephine (Johnson) Smith; great-grandson of Benjamin and Elizabeth (Pierce) Johnson; great²-grandson of William and Hadassah (Smith) Johnson; great³-grandson of William and Sarah Johnson; great⁴-grandson of *William Johnson,* private, Col. Philip B. Bradley's Conn. Regt.

THEODORE PELLETREAU EBERT STEIN, Jr., Indianapolis, Ind. (21089). Son of Theodore Pelletreau Ebert and Bertha (Kuhn) Stein; grandson of Ernest Christian Frederick and Katharine Elizabeth (Kurzrock) Stein; great-grandson of Ernest Christian Clemens and Maria Amalie (Ebert) Stein; great²-grandson of John George and Mary Elizabeth (Pelletreau) Ebert; great³-grandson of *John Elias Pelletreau,* private, Capt. Zephaniah Rogers's Company Suffolk County New York Minute Men.

HAROLD E. WILDY, Terre Haute, Ind. (21088). Son of William R. and Anna L. (Sibley) Wildy; grandson of Elisha and Phœbe R. (Cole) Sibley; great-grandson of *Elisha Sibley,* private, Colonel Whitney's and other Mass. Regts.

IOWA SOCIETY.

REUBEN WALKER ANDERSON, Pulaski, Iowa (21645). Son of William W. and Susan (Bristol) Anderson; grandson of Reuben and Mary (McKenzie) Bristol, Jr.; great-grandson of *Reuben Bristol,* private, Col. Webb's Seventh Conn. Regt. and Fifth Battalion Wadsworth's Brigade.

GEORGE HORACE BLIVEN, Sioux City, Iowa (21650). Son of Curtis Beriah and Sarah (Stormer) Bliven; grandson of Charles Cyrus and Lucinda (Cady) Bliven; great-grandson of Beriah and Hannah Jane Bliven; great²-grandson of *Samuel Bliven,* private, Col. Joseph Noyes's Regt. Rhode Island Militia.

WILLIAM BOWEN, Des Moines, Iowa (21647). Son of William and Lorretta (Cooper) Bowen; grandson of Calvin and Charlotte (Watson) Bowen; great-grandson of *Peter Bowen,* private, Colonel Rice's and Colonel Simmons's Mass. Regts.

PHILIP HENRY BRADLEY, Des Moines, Iowa (22501). Son of Philip Burr and Cornelia Louisa (Carpenter) Bradley; grandson of Philip Burr and Lucy (Carpenter) Bradley; great-grandson of Jesse Smith and Elizabeth (Baker) Bradley; great²-grandson of *Philip Burr Bradley,* Colonel Fifth Regt. Conn. Line.

EDWARD DAVID CHASSELL, Le Mars, Iowa (22513). Son of William and Frances Arabella (Jones) Chassell; grandson of David and Austiss (Olin) Chassell; great-grandson of John H. and Anna (Bowen) Olin; great^2-grandson of *Gideon Olin,* Major, Col. Samuel Herrick's Regt. Vermont Militia; grandson of Edward Wadsworth and Arabella (Bosworth) Jones; great-grandson of *Israel* (and Lois Wadsworth) *Jones,* Captain Eighteenth Regt. Conn. Militia; great^2-grandson of *Hezekiah* (and Lois Judd) *Wadsworth,* private, Captain Sedgwick's Company Conn. Militia, prisoner; great^3-grandson of *William Judd,* Captain Conn. Line; great-grandson of Solomon and Sarah (Olmstead) Bosworth; great^2-grandson of *David Olmstead,* Captain, Col. Roger Enos's Conn. Regt.

WILLIAM ARTHUR CLINGAN, Sioux City, Iowa (21638). Son of Huett B. and Caroline Electa (Whittlesey) Clingan; grandson of Charles R. and Mary (Crocker) Whittlesey; great-grandson of *Eliphalet Whittlesey,* private, Capt. Ezra Whittlesey's Company Third Berkshire Regt. Mass. Militia.

HENRY CURTIS DILLMAN, Oakley, Iowa (21646). Son of Andrew and Eliza Frances (Henderson) Dillman; grandson of Andrew and Elizabeth (Bruner) Dillman; great-grandson of *Andrew Dillman,* private, Col. Walter Stewart's Penna. Regt., pensioned.

FRANK STRONG DUNSHEE, Des Moines, Iowa (22522). Son of Amasa T. and Ann Eliza (Strong) Dunshee; grandson of Elijah Herkimer and Julia (McGee) Strong; great-grandson of Elijah and Katherine (Herkimer) Strong; great^2-grandson of Joseph and Elizabeth Katharine (Schuyler) Herkimer; great^3-grandson of *Henry Herkimer,* Captain New York Militia.

MYRON TAYLOR FLETCHER, Truesdale, Iowa (22511). Son of Burton and Aurelia (Humphrey) Fletcher; grandson of Eli and Mariah (Brister) Fletcher; great-grandson of *Samuel Fletcher,* Brigadier General Vermont Militia.

JAMES DE KALB GAMBLE, Knoxville, Iowa (22515). Son of John and Rachel (O'Neal) Gamble; grandson of John and Mary (McClure) Gamble; great-grandson of *Joseph Gamble,* Pilot of "Cheavaux de Frize" on Delaware River, 1775-1777.

HENRY GRAY, Des Moines, Iowa (22503). Son of Andrew Jackson and Mary (Burton) Gray; grandson of Henry and Margaret (Carpenter) Gray; great-grandson of *David Carpenter,* private Conn. Militia and First Conn. Line.

ALFRED MARTIN HAGGARD, Des Moines, Iowa (22506). Son of David M. and Mary Ann (Smith) Haggard; grandson of David and Elizabeth (Gentry) Haggard; great-grandson of *William Haggard,* private Virginia and North Carolina Troops, pensioned.

JOSEPH HUTCHISON HAYES, Denison, Iowa (22505). Son of Samuel and Mary (Hutchison) Hayes; grandson of John and Margaret (Gray) Hayes; great-grandson of *Robert Hayes,* First Lieutenant Second Company Fourth Northampton County Battalion Penna. Militia.

ALLEN CUSHING HOSKINS, Sioux City, Iowa (21641). Son of Samuel and Harriet Byron (Cushing) Hoskins; grandson of *Eli* (and Rhoda Drake) *Hoskins,* private Mass. Militia; great-grandson of *William Hoskins,* private Mass. Militia; great^2-grandson of *John Reed,* Captain Third Bristol County Regt. Mass. Militia; great-grandson of *Daniel* (and Lois Reed) *Drake,* Captain, Colonel Drury's Bristol County Regt. Mass. Militia.

SAMUEL BENNETT HOSKINS, Sioux City, Iowa (21639). Son of John Church Cushing and Clarissa Virginia (Bennett) Hoskins; grandson of Samuel and Harriett Byrne (Cushing) Hoskins; great-grandson of *Eli* (and Rhoda Drake) *Hoskins,* private Mass. Militia; great^2-grandson of *William Hoskins,* private Mass. Militia; great^2-grandson of *Daniel* (and Lois Reed) *Drake,* Captain, Colonel Drury's Bristol County Regt. Mass. Militia; great^3-grandson of *John Reed,* Captain Third Bristol County Regt. Mass. Militia.

ALEXANDER BALFOUR JEFFREY, Topeka, Kans. (Iowa 21643). Son of Alexander Thomas and Nellie Jane (Dungan) Jeffrey; grandson of William Holland and Margaret Maria (Coe) Dungan; great-grandson of James and Joana (Holland) Dungan; great²-grandson of *Jesse Dungan*, private First Bucks County Battalion Penna. Militia.

WARREN EMMETT JEFFREY, Chariton, Iowa (21642). Son of Alexander Thomas and Nellie Jane (Dungan) Jeffrey; grandson of William Holland and Margaret Maria (Coe) Dungan; great-grandson of James and Joana (Holland) Dungan; great²-grandson of *Jesse Dungan*, private First Bucks County Battalion Penna. Militia.

EDWARD DEARBORN MERRILL, Des Moines, Iowa (22510). Son of Samuel Adams and Fannie Raney (Hyde) Merrill; grandson of Jeremiah Hill and Ann Elizabeth (Dearborn) Merrill; great-grandson of Abel and Abigal (Hill) Merrill, Jr.; great²-grandson of Abel and Elizabeth (Page) Merrill; great³-grandson of *Samuel Merrill*, Lieutenant, Capt. John Elder's Fifth (Buxton) Company Third York County Regt. Mass. Militia.

LUDLOW JEREMIAH MERRILL, Des Moines, Iowa (22509). Son of Samuel Adams and Fannie Raney (Hyde) Merrill; grandson of Jeremiah Hill and Ann Elizabeth (Dearborn) Merrill; great-grandson of Abel and Abigal (Hill) Merrill, Jr.; great²-grandson of Abel and Elizabeth (Page) Merrill; great³-grandson of *Samuel Merrill*, Lieutenant, Capt. John Elder's Fifth (Buxton) Company Third York County Regt. Mass. Militia.

SAMUEL ADAMS MERRILL, Des Moines, Iowa (22508). Son of Jeremiah Hill and Ann Elizabeth (Dearborn) Merrill; grandson of Abel and Abigal (Hill) Merrill, Jr.; great-grandson of Abel and Elizabeth (Page) Merrill; great²-grandson of *Samuel Merrill*, Lieutenant, Capt. John Elder's Fifth (Buxton) Company Third York County Regt. Mass. Militia.

WINFIELD SCOTT MOORE, Manilla, Iowa (22520). Son of William and Ruth Ann (Graham) Moore; grandson of Nathaniel Davis and Margaret (Dyke) Moore; great-grandson of *William Moore*, private Virginia Militia under Colonel Christian and Colonel Sevier, pensioned.

FRANK LUTHER MOTT, Marengo, Iowa (22504). Son of David Charles and Mary E. (Tipton) Mott; grandson of George W. and Abigail (Ball) Mott; great-grandson of William and Sarah (Edgerton) Mott; great²-grandson of *John Mott*, Captain Third Company Third Battalion New Jersey Line.

SAMUEL W. NEAL, Washington, Iowa (22521). Son of Calwell and Marie Louise (Anderson) Neal; grandson of *George Anderson*, private Eighth Regt. Penna. Line.

CHARLES NASH PAGE, Des Moines, Iowa (22517). Son of Charles Washington and Juliette (Nash) Page; grandson of Elijah and Elizabeth (Robbins) Page; great-grandson of *Elijah Page*, private, Colonel Reid's Second New Hampshire Regt.; grandson of John and Betsey (Peck) Nash; great-grandson of *John Nash*, Sergeant Twelfth Albany County Regt. New York Militia; great-grandson of *John Peck*, private Eighth Company Fifth Regt. New York Line.

ELMER MANASSEH REEVES, Waverly, Iowa (22519). Son of Norman A. and Rhoda Ann (Willy) Reeves; grandson of Manasseh and Esther (Perry) Reeves; great-grandson of *Purver Reeves*, private Second Conn. Regt., Col. Heman Swift.

PARLEY SHELDON, Ames, Iowa (21648). Son of Parley and Elvira (Litch) Sheldon; grandson of Amasa and June (Ellis) Sheldon; great-grandson of *Caleb Ellis*, private New Hampshire Troops.

EDGAR RUSSELL SMITH, Fairfield, Iowa (22514). Son of J. N. and Isabella (Taylor) Smith; grandson of G. and Sarah (Johnson) Smith; great-grandson of Ruben and Martha (Hall) Johnson; great²-grandson of *John Hall*, Orderly Sergeant Third North Carolina Regt.

SUMMERFIELD SAUNDERS STILL, Des Moines, Iowa (22518). Son of James Moore and Rahab Mercy (Saunders) Still; grandson of Abram and Martha Poage (Moore) Still; great-grandson of James and Barbara (Taylor) Moore; great²-grandson of *James Moore,* Captain Tazewell County Virginia Militia.

JACOB M. STINSON, Fairfield, Iowa (22502). Son of John and Margaret (Tomlinson) Stinson; grandson of *James Stinson,* private Morris County New Jersey Militia.

JAMES HENRY STOCKHAM, Des Moines, Iowa (22512). Son of John and Calfurna (Chaffin) Stockham; grandson of Aaron and Ruhama (Sykes) Stockham; great-grandson of *William Stockham,* private, Colonel Hopkins's New York Militia; great-grandson of *John Jones Sykes,* private, Col. Thomas Nixon's Mass. Regt.

ORVILLE B. TALLEY, Sioux City, Iowa (21640). Son of John W. and Amanda Jane (Kyle) Talley; grandson of Joseph and Lucretia (Whippey) Kyle; great-grandson of John and Sarah Kyle; great²-grandson of *Robert Kyle,* private, Capt. William Huston's Company Fourth Cumberland County Battalion Penna. Militia.

CHARLES E. TAYLOR, Ames, Iowa (21644). Son of Nilson and Martha (Fletcher) Taylor; grandson of Nathan and Anna (Ross) Taylor; great-grandson of *Abraham Taylor,* private, Capt. Daniel Camp's Company, Colonel Canfield's Conn. Regt.; great-grandson of Joseph and Polly (Camp) Ross; great²-grandson of *Perrin Ross,* Lieutenant, Capt. Samuel Ransom's Company Conn. Militia; grandson of Eli and Martha (Brister) Fletcher; great-grandson of *Samuel Fletcher,* Brigadier-General Vermont Militia.

PAULL BARENT VAN SLYKE, Des Moines, Iowa (22507). Son of Charles Barent and Eva (Paull) Van Slyke; grandson of Barent and Elizabeth (Hawley) Van Slyke; great-grandson of Tunis and Judith (Bronk) Van Slyke; great²-grandson of *Ephraim Bronk,* private, Col. Anthony Van Bergen's Regt. New York Militia.

JACOB ALVIN WAGNER, Des Moines, Iowa (22516). Son of William Alfred and Mary Martha (Gauger) Warner; grandson of Jacob and Catharine (Eschbach) Gauger; great-grandson of John William and Anna Margaret (Fulmer or Follmer) Gauger; great²-grandson of *Jacob Fulmer,* or *Follmer,* Ensign Eleventh Northumberland County Battalion Penna. Militia, Member of Assembly of Pennsylvania.

BENJAMIN DUDLEY WHEELER, Des Moines, Iowa (10463). Supplemental. Son of William Henry and Ella Rocelia (Perrin) Wheeler; grandson of Benjamin and Luthera Capron (Cristy) Wheeler; great-grandson of James and Hannah (Andrus) Wheeler; great²-grandson of Comfort and Betsey (Wilber) Wheeler; great³-grandson of *Valentine Wheeler,* First Lieutenant Dutchess County New York Militia.

KANSAS SOCIETY.

MAURICE WALDRON HIATT, Leavenworth, Kans. (22352). Son of Alfred Hadley and Sarah (Bostwick) Hiatt; grandson of Elam and Sarah (Horn) Hiatt; great-grandson of Ames and Achsah (Willis) Hiatt; great²-grandson of Joel and Hannah (Jessep) Willis; great³-grandson of *Thomas Jessup, Jr.,* Hospital Service, Battle of Guilford Court House, N. C.

HENRY WILSON McAFEE, Topeka, Kans. (22351). Son of Josiah and Anna Rebecca (Yowler) McAfee; grandson of George and Elizabeth (Bower) Yowler; great-grandson of *William Bower,* private, Capt. James Wilson's Company, Col. James Chambers's First Regt. Penna. Line.

JOHN STOUT MAXWELL, Pittsburgh, Kans. (17975). Son of Edward L. and Dorothy L. Maxwell; grandson of William A. and Nancy Taylor (Guess) Maxwell; great-grandson of Alexander and Hannah (Armstrong) Maxwell; great²-grandson of *Edward Maxwell,* private, Col. James McNiel's Georgia Regt.

JOHN W. SIDWELL, Topeka, Kans. (22353). Son of Harris and Elizabeth (Dunham) Sidwell; grandson of Samuel and Elizabeth (Pickerill) Dunham; great-grandson of *Samuel Pickerill,* private and drummer, Colonel Brent's Regt. Virginia Volunteers, pensioned.

KENTUCKY SOCIETY.

GILMER SPEED ADAMS, Louisville, Ky. (22293). Son of Thomas and Martha Bell (Speed) Adams; grandson of Samuel Griffin and Catherine (Innes) Adams; great-grandson of *Richard Adams,* Member of Virginia House of Delegates and Senate, and of Virginia Conventions of 1775 and 1776.

CHARLES THRUSTON BALLARD, Louisville, Ky. (2614). Supplementals. Son of Andrew Jackson and Frances Ann (Thruston) Ballard; grandson of Charles William and Mary Eliza (Churchill) Thruston; great-grandson of Charles Mynn and Frances Eleanor (Clark) Thruston, Jr.; great^2-grandson of *Charles Mynn Thruston,* Colonel Virginia Continental Line; great-grandson of Samuel and Abigail (Oldham) Churchill; great^2-grandson of *Armistead Churchill,* Colonel Second Battalion Fauquier County Militia May 25, 1778; great^2-grandson of *William* (and Penelope Pope) *Oldham,* Ensign, Daniel Morgan's Virginia Regt., later Captain Virginia Troops; great^3-grandson of *William Pope,* Lieutenant-Colonel Jefferson County Militia; grandson of James and Susanna (Cox) Ballard; great-grandson of *Bland Ballard,* Corporal, Major Slaughter's Battalion Culpeper County Virginia Militia.

CHARLES MYNN THRUSTON BALLARD, Louisville, Ky. (22296). Son of Charles Thruston and Emiline Modest (Breaux) Ballard; grandson of Andrew Jackson and Frances Ann (Thruston) Ballard; great-grandson of James and Susanna (Cox) Ballard; great^2-grandson of *Bland Ballard,* Corporal, Major Slaughter's Battalion Culpeper Militia; great-grandson of Charles William and Mary Eliza (Churchill) Thruston; great^2-grandson of *Charles Mynn Thruston, Jr.,* volunteer aid to his father in Virginia Continental service; great^3-grandson of *Charles Mynn Thruston,* Colonel Virginia Continental Troops; great^2-grandson of Samuel and Abigail (Oldham) Churchill; great^3-grandson of *Armistead Churchill,* Colonel Second Battalion Fauquier County Virginia Militia; great^3-grandson of *William* (and Penelope Pope) *Oldham,* Captain Virginia Troops; great^4-grandson of *William Pope,* Lieutenant-Colonel Jefferson County Virginia Militia.

GUSTAVE BREAUX BALLARD, Glenview, Ky. (22295). Son of Charles Thruston and Emiline Modest (Breaux) Ballard; grandson of Andrew Jackson and Frances Ann (Thruston) Ballard; great-grandson of James and Susanna (Cox) Ballard; great^2-grandson of *Bland Ballard,* Sergeant, Major Slaughter's Battalion Culpeper Militia; great-grandson of Charles William and Mary Eliza (Churchill) Thruston; great^2-grandson of *Charles Mynn Thruston, Jr.,* volunteer aid to his father in Frederick County Virginia Militia; great^3-grandson of *Charles Mynn Thruston,* Colonel Virginia Continental Troops; great^2-grandson of Samuel and Abigail (Oldham) Churchill; great^3-grandson of *Armistead Churchill,* Colonel Second Battalion Fauquier County Virginia Militia; great^3-grandson of *William* (and Penelope Pope) *Oldham,* Captain Virginia Troops; great^4-grandson of *William Pope,* Lieutenant-Colonel Jefferson County Virginia Militia.

SAMUEL THRUSTON BALLARD, Louisville, Ky. (2613). Supplementals. Son of Andrew Jackson and Frances Ann (Thruston) Ballard; grandson of Charles William and Mary Eliza (Churchill) Thruston; great-grandson of Charles Mynn and Frances Eleanor (Clark) Thruston, Jr.; great^2-grandson of *Charles Mynn Thruston,* Colonel Virginia Continental Line; great-grandson of Samuel and Abigail (Oldham) Churchill; great^2-grandson of *Armistead Churchill,* Colonel Second Battalion Fauquier County Militia May 25, 1778; great^2-grandson of *William* (and Penelope Pope) *Oldham,* Ensign, Daniel Morgan's Vir-

ginia Regt., later Captain Virginia Troops; great^3-grandson of *William Pope,* Lieutenant-Colonel Jefferson County Militia; grandson of James and Susanna (Cox) Ballard; great-grandson of *Bland Ballard,* Corporal, Major Slaughter's Battalion Culpeper County Virginia Militia.

HENRY STILES BARKER, Louisville, Ky. (22278). Son of Richard Henry and Caroline Matilda (Sharp) Barker; grandson of Maxwell and Catherine M. (McClure) Sharp; great-grandson of *Thomas Sharp,* Captain Kentucky Volunteers.

MAXWELL SHARP BARKER, Louisville, Ky. (19700). Son of Richard Henry and Caroline Matilda (Sharp) Barker; grandson of Maxwell and Catharine M. (McClure) Sharp; great-grandson of *Thomas Sharp,* Captain Kentucky Volunteers.

ALEXANDER GALT BARRET, Louisville, Ky. (22291). Son of Henry Wood and Emma (Tyler) Barret; grandson of Lewis and Rachel (Garvin) Barret; great-grandson of *Francis Barret,* Sergeant Virginia Line, pensioned.

JEROME HAROLD BENTLEY, Louisville, Ky. (22290). Son of Jairus Jerome and Elizabeth Stewart (Beggs) Bentley; grandson of Arnold and Lydia (Northrup) Bentley; great-grandson of *Nicholas Northrop,* private Fourth Albany County Regt. New York Militia.

SIMON BOLIVAR BUCKNER, Glen Lily, Ky. (2501). Son of Aylett H. and Elizabeth Ann (Morehead) Buckner; grandson of *Turner Morehead,* Captain Virginia Line and in Wayne's Command at storming of Stony Point.

SIMON BOLIVAR BUCKNER, Jr., Lieutenant U. S. Army, Glen Lily, Ky. (22287). Son of Simon Bolivar and Delia (Claiborne) Buckner; grandson of Aylett H. and Elizabeth Ann (Morehead) Buckner; great-grandson of *Turner Morehead,* Captain Virginia Line and in Wayne's Command at storming of Stony Point; grandson of John H. and Virginia (Bassett) Claiborne; great-grandson of George Washington and Betty Burnett (Lewis) Bassett; great^2-grandson of Robert and Judith (Browne) Lewis; great^3-grandson of *Fielding Lewis,* Quartermaster-General Virginia Troops.

EDMUND TUTT BURNAM, Richmond, Ky. (22284). Son of Curtis Field and Sarah Harris (Rollins) Burnam; grandson of Thompson and Lucinda (Field) Burnam; great-grandson of *John Burnam,* private Third South Carolina Regt., commanded by Colonel Thompson; great-grandson of *John Field,* Sergeant Bedford County Virginia Militia.

JOHN MILLER BURNAM, Cincinnati, Ohio (Ky. 22283). Son of Edward H. and Margaret S. (Miller) Burnam; grandson of Thompson and Lucinda (Field) Burnam; great-grandson of *John Burnam,* private Third South Carolina Regt.; great-grandson of *John Field,* Sergeant Bedford County Virginia Militia.

JAMES GUTHRIE CALDWELL, Louisville, Ky. (22299). Son of William Beverly and Ann Augusta (Guthrie) Caldwell; grandson of William and Ann (Trabue) Caldwell; great-grandson of *John Caldwell,* private Virginia Line; grandson of James and Eliza (Prather) Guthrie; great-grandson of Richard and Mary (Churchill) Prather; great^2-grandson of *Armistead Churchill,* Colonel Second Battalion Fauquier County Virginia Militia.

JOHN HAYS CAPERTON, Louisville, Ky. (22300). Son of John and Mary (Guthrie) Caperton; grandson of James and Eliza Churchill (Prather) Guthrie; great-grandson of Richard and Mary (Churchill) Prather; great^2-grandson of *Armistead Churchill,* Colonel Second Battalion Fauquier County Virginia Militia.

ALLEN ROGERS CARTER, Louisville, Ky. (22298). Son of James Garland and Melvilla (Brown) Carter; grandson of Caswell and Lavinia (Jones) Carter; great-grandson of Allen and Jane (McClanahan) Jones; great^2-grandson of *Thomas McClanahan,* private, Col. Patrick Henry's Kentucky Regt., pensioned.

JOHN BRECKINRIDGE CASTLEMAN, Louisville, Ky. (22281). Son of David and Virginia (Harrison) Castleman; grandson of Robert Carter and Ann (Cabell) Harrison; great-grandson of *Carter Henry Harrison,* Member of Cumberland County Virginia Committee of Safety, Member of House of Delegates; great-grandson of *Joseph Cabell,* Surgeon Virginia Continental Troops, Commander Buckingham County Militia.

RICHARD HENRY COKE, Louisville, Ky. (23001). Son of James Guthrie and Amanda Marshall (Blackman) Coke; grandson of Richard and Mary Elizabeth (Guthrie) Cocke; great-grandson of Richard and (Polly) Mary (Watkins) Cocke; great^2-grandson of *Stephen Cocke,* High Sheriff of Amelia County, Va., 1775-1790.

FRANK IRWIN DUGAN, Louisville, Ky. (22276). Son of Irwin and Mattie Green (Dickson) Dugan; grandson of Francis William and Martha O. (Green) Dickson; great-grandson of Edmund Pendleton and Martha (Weems) Green; great^2-grandson of Armistead and Frances (Pendleton) Green; great^3-grandson of *Henry Pendleton,* Member of Culpeper Committee of Safety, 1775, and of Virginia Conventions, 1775-1776.

LAPSLEY CORNELIUS EWING, Louisville, Ky. (22289). Son of Samuel and Julia (Rains) Ewing; grandson of Cornelius and Julia (Tarkington) Rains; great-grandson of *James Rains,* private Virginia Line, pensioned.

LEWIS JEFFERSON GORIN, Louisville, Ky. (19699). Son of James E. and Mary (Rogers) Gorin; grandson of Thomas J. and Mary (Bowman) Gorin; great-grandson of *John Gorin,* Sergeant Virginia Militia, pensioned.

WALKER BOURNE GOSSETT, Louisville, Ky. (22277). Son of Mathias and Kitty (Bourne) Gossett; grandson of Walker and Willey (Jameson) Bourne; great-grandson of *James Bourne,* private Virginia Militia, pensioned.

CREDO FITCH HARRIS, Glenview, Ky. (22292). Son of Theodore Harding and Mary Jane (Schooley) Harris; grandson of Nathaniel S. and Jane (Robinson) Schooley; great-grandson of *John Schooley,* private First Burlington County Regt. New Jersey Militia, pensioned.

ROBINSON ADAIR McDOWELL, Louisville, Ky. (22282). Son of William Preston and Kate Goldsboro (Wright) McDowell; grandson of William Adair and Maria Hawkins (Harvey) McDowell; great-grandson of *Samuel McDowell, Jr.,* private Virginia Militia; great^2-grandson of *Samuel McDowell,* Colonel Virginia Militia, Member of House of Burgesses.

WILLIAM WALLACE McDOWELL, Louisville, Ky. (22288). Son of William Preston and Katie Goldsboro (Wright) McDowell; grandson of William Adair and Maria Hawkins (Harvey) McDowell; great-grandson of *Samuel McDowell, Jr.,* private Virginia Militia; great^2-grandson of *Samuel McDowell,* Colonel and Member of the Virginia House of Burgesses.

JOHN MORTON MORRIS, Louisville, Ky. (22286). Son of J. H. Morton and Fannie (Craik) Morris; grandson of James and Juliet (Shrewsbury) Craik; great-grandson of George Washington and Myra Dorcas (Tucker) Craik; great^2-grandson of *James Craik,* Surgeon-General of the Continental Army.

WILLIAM HARVEY RICE, Maysville, Ky. (22280). Son of James Harvey and Judith A. (Cooke) Rice; grandson of Jefferson and Nancy (Richards) Rice; great-grandson of Fleming and Sarah (Bailey) Rice; great^2-grandson of *John Bailey,* private, Captain Doherty's Company Tenth North Carolina Regt.

JOSEPH KING STEWART, Louisville, Ky. (22294). Son of John Archibald and Kitty Tennessee (King) Stewart; grandson of Joseph Lewis and Catharine A. King; great-grandson of Joseph and Catharine (Lewis) King; great^2-grandson of Andrew and, second wife, Margaret (Bryant) Lewis; great^3-grandson of *Andrew Lewis,* Brigadier-General Virginia Troops.

JOHN CHAPLIN STROTHER, Louisville, Ky. (19698). Son of French and Lucinda (Maddox) Strother; grandson of George and Mary (Duncan) Strother; great-grandson of John F. and Anne Strother; great²-grandson of *John Strother,* Member of Committee of Safety of Culpeper County, Virginia.

ROGERS CLARK BALLARD THRUSTON, Louisville, Ky. (2618). Supplementals. Son of Andrew Jackson and Frances Ann (Thruston) Ballard; grandson of Charles William and Mary Eliza (Churchill) Thruston; great-grandson of Charles Mynn and Frances Eleanor (Clark) Thruston, Jr.; great²-grandson of *Charles Mynn Thruston,* Colonel Virginia Continental Line; great-grandson of Samuel and Abigail (Oldham) Churchill; great²-grandson of *Armistead Churchill,* Colonel Second Battalion Fauquier County Militia May 25, 1778; great²-grandson of *William* (and Penelope Pope) *Oldham,* Ensign, Daniel Morgan's Virginia Regt., later Captain Virginia Troops; great³-grandson of *William Pope,* Lieutenant-Colonel Jefferson County Militia; grandson of James and Susanna (Cox) Ballard; great-grandson of *Bland Ballard,* Corporal, Major Slaughter's Battalion Culpeper County Virginia Militia.

PHILIP SPEED TULEY, Louisville, Ky. (2663). Supplemental. Son of Enos Seth and Mary Eliza (Speed) Tuley; grandson of John Wesley and Phœbe (Woodruff) Tuley; great-grandson of Seth and Sally (Crane) Woodruff; great²-grandson of *Israel Crane,* Cornet Essex Troop of Horse New Jersey Militia.

THOMAS SPEED TULEY, Louisville, Ky. (22297). Son of Enos Seth and Mary Eliza (Speed) Tuley; grandson of Philip and Emma (Keats) Speed; great-grandson of John and Lucy Gilmer (Fry) Speed; great²-grandson of *James Speed,* Captain, Colonel Cocke's Virginia Regt.; grandson of John Wesley and Phœbe (Woodruff) Tuley; great-grandson of Seth and Sally (Crane) Woodruff; great²-grandson of *Israel Crane,* Cornet Essex Troop of Horse New Jersey Militia.

ROY C. WHITE, Richmond, Ky. (22285). Son of Galen J. and Mary Mildred (White) White; grandson of Jeremiah and Lucinda (Fox) White, parents of Mildred; great-grandson of *Galen White,* private Virginia Line, pensioned.

LOUISIANA SOCIETY.

ALEXIS BRIAN, New Orleans, La. (21256). Son of Solomon Morgan and Maria (Milling) Brian; grandson of Francis and Salome R. (Causey) Brian; great-grandson of *Hardy Brian,* private, Colonel Benton's South Carolina Regt., and scout; grandson of Thomas David and Mary A. (Teddlie) Milling; great-grandson of David T. and Maria (Latham) Milling; great²-grandson of *Hugh Milling,* Captain Sixth South Carolina Regt.

ROBERT EDWARD MILLING, Franklin, La. (21257). Son of Thomas David and Mary A. (Teddlie) Milling; grandson of David T. and Maria (Latham) Milling; great-grandson of *Hugh Milling,* Captain Sixth South Carolina Regt.

FENWICK DIMITRY RUTH, New Orleans, La. (21258). Son of Enoch Fenwick and Virginia (Dimitry) Ruth; grandson of Alexander and Mary Powell (Mills) Dimitry; great-grandson of Robert and Eliza Barnwell (Smith) Mills; great²-grandson of *John* (and Anne Bull) *Smith,* Colonel Virginia Troops, pensioned; great³-grandson of *John Bull,* Colonel First Battalion, Adjutant-General of Penna.

SAMUEL ADAMS TRUFANT, New Orleans, La. (21255). Son of George and Jane Hanna Trufant; grandson of Seth and Abigail (Adams) Trufant; great-grandson of *Samuel Adams,* Surgeon Eighteenth Continental Infantry and Third Continental Artillery.

MAINE SOCIETY.

WALTON SAMUEL ADAMS, Richmond, Me. (22059). Son of Frank S. and Ella C. Adams; grandson of Samuel and Hannah P. Adams; great-grandson of *Samuel Adams,* private Eleventh Mass. Regt.

ROGER FREDERIC BRUNEL, Syracuse, N. Y. (Me. 14773). Supplemental. Son of Frederic and Martha Ada (Tobey) Brunel; grandson of Harvey and Susan (Woodbridge) Tobey; great-grandson of Benjamin and Mary (Mason) Tobey; great^3-grandson of *William Tobey,* Second Lieutenant Mass. Militia.

WILLIAM TRUE COUSENS, Portland, Me. (22054). Son of Lyman Munson and Mary (True) Cousens; grandson of John and Mary (Abbott) True; great-grandson of John and Mary (Hammond) Abbott; great^2-grandson of *William Hammond,* Sergeant and Commissary, Colonel Whitney's Mass. Regt.

GEORGE FARMER DREW, Brunswick, Me. (22055). Son of Henry and Ellen (Farmer) Drew; grandson of William and Caroline (Cleapor) Drew; great-grandson of Isaac and Welthea (Bradford) Drew; great^2-grandson of *Samuel Bradford,* Captain First Duxbury Company, Colonel Warren's Mass. Regt.

ALFRED WINSLOW HALL, Dexter, Me. (22060). Son of Joseph Blake and Lucinda Evans (Todd) Hall; grandson of Winslow and Ruth (Howland) Hall; great-grandson of *Enoch Hall,* private Mass. Militia, Windham, Me.

THOMAS ERNEST HARMON, Portland, Me. (22062). Son of Theodore Elwell and Hannah C. (Brooks) Harmon; grandson of Thomas and Hannah (Elwell) Harmon; great-grandson of *Thomas* (and Lydia Elden) *Harmon,* private, Colonel Phinney's Mass. Regt.; great^2-grandson of *John Elden,* Captain Third York County Regt. Mass. Militia.

WALTER FRANK HASKELL, Westbrook, Me. (22064). Son of Frank and Rebecca Jewett (Poole) Haskell; grandson of James and Mary (Poole) Haskell; great-grandson of Josiah and Rachel Barber (Tarr) Haskell; great^2-grandson of *Daniel Barber Tarr,* Lieutenant Sixth Mass. Regt.

HARRY APPLETON HEALD, Portland, Me. (22053). Son of Thomas G. and Carrie E. (Webb) Heald; grandson of Thomas H. and Mary A. (Rogers) Heald; great-grandson of Ephraim and Katharine (Houghton) Heald; great^2-grandson of Ephraim and ——— (Cragin) Heald; great^3-grandson of *Ephraim Heald, Jr.,* private New Hampshire Men in Col. William Prescott's Mass. Regt.; great^4-grandson of *Ephraim Heald,* private New Hampshire Men in Col. William Prescott's Mass. Regt., 1775.

HERBERT JENKINS LILLY, Portland, Me. (22063). Son of Winship Reed and Eunice Colby (Jenkins) Lilly; grandson of Phillip and Betsy (Colby) Jenkins; great-grandson of *Thomas Colby,* private, Capt. Samuel Nay's Company New Hampshire Continental Troops.

ROBERT LINCOLN MAYBURY, Saco, Me. (22069). Son of William Jordan and Ella Waterman (Berry) Maybury; grandson of Nathaniel and Annarilla C. (Stockbridge) Maybury; great-grandson of Jordan and Sally (Hodgdon) Maybury; great^2-grandson of Richard and Mary (Jordan) Maybury, Jr.; great^3-grandson of *Richard Maybury,* Captain, Col. Ebenezer Francis's Mass. Regt.

FREDERICK GARDINER PAINE, Farmington, Me. (18773). Supplementals. Son of Simeon Cragin and Caroline Augusta (Handy) Paine; grandson of Josiah and Lavenia (Bryant) Paine, Jr.; great-grandson of Micah and Mary (Mitchell) Bryant, Jr.; great^2-grandson of Moses and Dorcas (Dolley) Mitchell; great^3-grandson of *John Dolley,* private Fourth Cumberland County Regt. Mass. Militia; great-grandson of Josiah Parker and Sarah (Cragin) Paine; great^2-grandson of William and Pamelia (Parker) Payne; great^3-grandson of *John Payne,* private, Capt. Benjamin Read's Freetown Company, Colonel Pope's Mass. Regt.; great^2-grandson of Simeon and Sarah (McKenney) Cragin; great^3-grandson of *John Cragin, Jr.,* Sergeant New Hampshire Militia;

grandson of Robert Gardiner and Mary Elizabeth (Ames) Handy; great-grandson of Abisha and Zipporah (Laughton) Handy; great²-grandson of John and Lydia (McGraugh) Laughton, Jr.; great³-grandson of *John Laughton,* private, Col. William Prescott's Mass. Regt.

ARTHUR WILLIS PATTERSON, Castine, Me. (22058). Son of George W. and Lilla Olive (Davidson) Patterson; grandson of James Willis and Sarah Parker (Wilder) Patterson; great-grandson of William and Frances Mary (Shepard) Patterson; great²-grandson of *Joseph Patterson,* private, Colonel Baldwin's New Hampshire Regt.

JAMES HARRIS PIERCE, Portland, Me. (22068). Son of James Harris and Eliza (Stockwell) Pierce; grandson of Abner and Eliza (Tufts) Pierce; great-grandson of Abner and Grace (Harrington) Pierce; great²-grandson of Daniel and Anna (Monroe) Harrington; great³-grandson of *Robert Monroe,* Ensign, Capt. Joseph Parker's Company, killed on the field at Lexington April 19, 1775.

DANIEL THOMPSON RICHARDSON, Baldwin, Me. (22067). Son of Daniel Thompson and Eliza Ann (Sawyer) Richardson; grandson of Joseph and Charlotte (Thompson) Richardson; great-grandson of *Daniel Thompson,* private of Woburn Company Mass. Minute Men, killed April 19, 1775, during British retreat from Concord.

JOSEPH PUTNAM STEVENS, Woodfords, Me. (22066). Son of Joseph W. and Mary (Ingalls) Stevens; grandson of Benjamin and Camilla (Howard) Stevens; great-grandson of Ziphion and Amey (Reynolds) Howard; great²-grandson of *Joseph Reynolds,* private, Capt. Josiah Hayden's Company Mass. Militia; great²-grandson of *Daniel Howard,* private, Capt. Josiah Hayden's Company Mass. Militia.

RALPH LEE TALBOT, Lewiston, Me. (22057). Son of Archie Lee and Nina Victoria (Adams) Talbot; grandson of Charles Johnson and Delphina Shaw (Robbins) Talbot; great-grandson of Archibald and Sophia (Smith) Talbot; great²-grandson of Asa and Abigail (Johnson) Talbot; great³-grandson of *Ambrose Talbot,* private Mass. Coast Guards at Falmouth; great-grandson of Asa and Hannah (Shaw) Robbins, Jr.; great²-grandson of *Asa Robbins,* Corporal, Colonel Brewer's Mass. Line, pensioned; great²-grandson of *Abraham* (and Hannah Miller) *Shaw,* Captain Mass. Militia; great³-grandson of *John Miller,* Lieutenant Fourth Plymouth County Regt. Mass. Militia.

ARTHUR GARFIELD VOSE, Caribou, Me. (22061). Son of Sebastian Streeter and Sallie Elizabeth (Dunn) Vose; grandson of Thomas and Evelyn (Bridgham) Dunn; great-grandson of John and Elizabeth (Greenwood) Bridgham, 3d; great²-grandson of John and Libella (Shaw) Bridgham, 2d; great³-grandson of *John Bridgham,* Captain, Col. Theophilus Cotton's Mass. Regt.

JUSTIN ADFER WALLING, Milbridge, Me. (22056). Son of George Henry and Phebe (Whiting) Walling; grandson of Benjamin and Ruth (Yates) Whiting; great-grandson of *Caleb Whiting,* Second Major, Col. Ezra Wood's Regt. Mass. Militia.

MURRAY BROOKS WATSON, Auburn, Me. (22065). Son of William Whitcomb and Elmira Burbank (Lary) Watson; grandson of Stephen Phinney and Hannah Whitcomb (Nourse) Watson; great-grandson of *Colman Watson,* private, Col. Reuben Fogg's Regt. Mass. Militia; great²-grandson of *Eliphalet Watson,* private, Col. Nathan Tyler's Regt. Mass. Militia.

FRANCIS MARION WHEELER, Waterville, Me. (22070). Son of Joseph Osgood and Mary Elizabeth (Sturtevant) Wheeler; grandson of Reward and Ann S. (Heskette) Sturtevant; great-grandson of *Lot Sturtevant,* Corporal, Colonel Bradford's Mass. Continental Regt.

MARYLAND SOCIETY.

THOMAS CHALKLEY ATKINSON, Baltimore, Md. (23176). Son of Alfred and Sarah Augusta (Jones) Atkinson; grandson of Edward and Maria Fayette (Croxall) Jones; great-grandson of Thomas and Mary (Long) Croxall; great²-grandson of *Charles Croxall,* Lieutenant Tenth Penna. Regt.

HENRY FENIMORE BAKER, Mt. Washington, Md. (21741). Son of Milton and Henrietta (A.) Baker; grandson of Richard B. and Catherine Baker; great-grandson of Samuel Baker; great²-grandson of *Daniel Baker,* private Eleventh Albany County Regt. New York Militia.

ALFRED HUNTINGTON BURNHAM, Baltimore, Md. (11470). Supplementals. Son of Henry Harrison and Sophia Lydia (Bennett) Burnham; grandson of Elisha Huntington and Lydia Kent (Burnham) Bennett; great-grandson of Elisha and Lydia (Pendleton) Bennett; great²-grandson of *Daniel Bennett,* private Sixth Conn. Continental Regt.; great³-grandson of *Benjamin Bennett,* Sergeant Fifth Regt. Conn. Line; great-grandson of Jedediah and Sophia (Bidwell) Burnham; great²-grandson of *Jedediah Burnham,* private Eighth Conn. Regt., 1775; great²-grandson of Riverius and Phebe (Roberts) Bidwell; great³-grandson of *Thomas Bidwell,* Captain Conn. Militia.

CHARLES FREDERICK BURNHAM, Baltimore, Md. (21745). Son of Henry Harrison and Sophia Lydia (Bennett) Burnham; grandson of Elisha Huntington and Lydia Kent (Burnham) Bennett; great-grandson of Jedediah and Sophia (Bidwell) Burnham; great²-grandson of *Jedediah Burnham,* private Eighth Conn. Continental Regt., 1775.

JAMES McDOWELL CRESAP, Annapolis, Md. (23178). Son of James Cephas and Anna Goodrich (Leavitt) Cresap; grandson of Daniel John and Elizabeth (Campbell) Cresap; great-grandson of *Joseph Cresap,* Second Lieutenant First Battalion Maryland Rifles.

WILLIAM MILLS DAVIS, Baltimore, Md. (21747). Son of W. Mills and Lucinda M. (Conrad) Davis; grandson of John and Mary Ann (Stonebreaker) Conrad; great-grandson of John and Jane (Hyskell) Stonebreaker; great²-grandson of *Adam Stonebreaker,* Corporal German Regt. Lancaster County Penna. Militia.

JOHN EDMUND DRAPER, Baltimore, Md. (21735). Son of Edmund and Catherine Christina (Tucker) Draper; grandson of Gilbert Ruggles and Evelina Christina (Snyder) Tucker; great-grandson of Charles and Welthe (Ruggles) Tucker; great²-grandson of Reuben and Relief (Farnsworth) Tucker; great³-grandson of *David Farnsworth,* Lieutenant New Hampshire Militia; great-grandson of William Stringham and Christina Rustus (Johnston) Snyder; great²-grandson of John and Isabella (Hooper) Johnston; great³-grandson of *Robert Lettice Hooper,* Assistant Quartermaster New Jersey Militia.

WILLIAM ANDREW GAULT, Roland Park, Md. (21744). Son of Matthew and Laura C. (Deale) Gault; grandson of Andrew and Sallie (Knox) Gault; great-grandson of *Matthew* (and Elizabeth Bunten) *Gault,* drummer New Hampshire Militia; great²-grandson of *Andrew Bunten,* Captain, Waldron's New Hampshire Regt.

ALFRED B. GILES, Forest Park, Md. (21737). Son of William Tell and Catherine (Donaldson) Giles; grandson of Jacob W. and Martha (Phillips) Giles; great-grandson of *James Phillips,* private Harford County Maryland Militia.

JAMES MONROE HOLLANDE, Baltimore, Md. (23177). Son of Joseph and Margaret Ann (Mountain) Holland; grandson of *Joseph Holland,* private, Colonel Learned's and other Mass. Regts., widow pensioned.

JOHN LLEWELLYN JOHNSON, Frederick, Md. (21736). Son of John Price and Ellen (Gilmore) Johnson; grandson of Henry Clay and Catherine (Hinebock) Johnson; great-grandson of *John Johnson,* private Second Essex County Regt. New Jersey Militia.

ALBERT LINDSAY PEARRE, Frederick, Md. (21743). Son of James W. and Anne Marion (Lindsay) Pearre; grandson of James and Eliza (Dudderar) Pearre; great-grandson of James and Sarah (Warfield) Pearre; great²-grandson of *Charles Warfield,* Member of Committee of Observation for Frederick County, Md.

JOHN MILTON REIFSNIDER, Westminster, Md. (21740). Son of John Lawrence and Elizabeth Haines (Billingslea) Reifsnider; grandson of Jesse and Apollonia (Zacharias) (Miller) Reifsnider; great-grandson of Daniel and Susannah (Sherman) Zacharias; great²-grandson of *Conrad Sherman,* Captain Sixth Berks County Battalion Penna. Militia.

FRANKLIN BUCHANAN SMITH, Frederick, Md. (21738). Son of George and Mary (Nixdorff) Smith; grandson of Henry and Susan (Medtart) Nixdorff; great-grandson of *Samuel Nixdorff,* private, Capt. John Nelson's Independent Company Penna. Riflemen.

CHARLES SPENCER WAPLES, Baltimore, Md. (21742). Son of Edward Bassett and Sarah (Fenney) Waples; grandson of *Samuel Waples,* Lieutenant Ninth Virginia Regt.

NICHOLAS WATKINS, Washington, D. C. (Md. 21739). Son of Walter Carr and Mary Howard (Stallings) Watkins; grandson of Rizen and Rowena (Mead) Watkins; great-grandson of *Thomas Watkins,* Captain of Matrosses Maryland Militia.

FRANCIS IGNATIUS WHEELER, Lawson, Md. (21750). Son of George Francis and Martha Jane (Thatcher) Wheeler; grandson of Francis Ignatius and Mary Ann (Macatee) Wheeler; great-grandson of *Ignatius Wheeler,* Colonel Harford County Maryland Militia.

MASSACHUSETTS SOCIETY.

SAMUEL ABBOTT, Newton Center, Mass. (22481). Son of Samuel Warren and Martha Whittlesea (Sullivan) Abbott; grandson of Samuel and Ruth (Winn) Abbott; great-grandson of *Bixby* (and Hepzibah Ames) *Abbott,* Corporal, Capt. Benj. Ames' Company, Col. James Frye's Mass. Regt.; great²-grandson of *Benjamin Ames,* Captain, Col. James Frye's Mass. Regt.; great-grandson of Abel and Ruth (Richardson) Winn; great²-grandson of *Joseph Winn,* First Lieutenant Second Middlesex County Regt. Mass. Militia.

CHARLES SUMNER ADAMS, Somerville, Mass. (22186). Son of William R. and Adelia (Magoun) Adams; grandson of William and Eliza M. (Clark) Adams; great-grandson of Jonathan and Ruth (Hall) Adams; great²-grandson of *Jonathan Adams,* Lieutenant, Col. John Bell's Regt. New Hampshire Militia.

WILLIAM RICHARDSON ADAMS, Stoneham, Mass. (22876). Son of John Quincy and Harriet Augusta (Forsyth) Adams; grandson of Sewall and Sarah (Isley) Adams; great-grandson of *Stephen Adams,* private, Colonel Titcomb's Mass. Regt.; great²-grandson of *Samuel Adams,* private, Col. Samuel Johnson's Mass. Regt.; grandson of George and Rebecca Brown (Richardson) Forsyth; great-grandson of Samuel and Hannah (Hoar) Richardson; great²-grandson of *Stephen Hoar,* Corporal, Capt. Elisha Jackson's Company Mass. Militia; great³-grandson of *Daniel Hoar,* private, Capt. Nicholas Dike's Company Mass. Militia.

W(ILLIS) LLOYD ALLEN, Shirley, Mass. (22889). Son of Elmer Hooker and Minnie Laura (McMichael) Allen; grandson of Ephraim K. and Clementine A. (Haggett) McMichael; great-grandson of John and Hannah (McFarland Fitch, widow) McMichael; great²-grandson of *James McMichael,* private, Colonel Jones's and Colonel Wade's Mass. Regts., pensioned; great²-grandson of Robert and Lydia (Upham) McFarland; great³-grandson of *Jabez Upham,* Sergeant, Col. Elisha Porter's Mass. Regt.; great-grandson of Ebenezer and Sarah (Benner) Haggett, Jr.; great²-grandson of Ebenezer and Sarah (Dodge) Haggett; great³-grandson of *Zachariah Dodge,* private, Colonel Mansfield's Mass. Regt.

CHARLES BROOKS APPLETON, Brookline, Mass. (22482). Son of Charles Henry and Jane Williams (Brooks) Appleton; grandson of Benjamin Barnard and Catherine (Hooton) Appleton; great-grandson of *John Hooton,* Sergeant, Capt. Elias Parkman's Company, Col. Joseph Webb's Mass. Regt.; grandson of Charles and Nancy (Dicks) Brooks; great-grandson of Cotton Brown and Jane (Williams) Brooks; great²-grandson of *Edward Brooks,* volunteer at Concord Bridge April 19, 1775, Chaplain on Mass. frigate "Hancock," prisoner at Halifax.

FRANK WILBUR ATKINS, Lynn, Mass. (22890). Son of Thomas and Lucinda (Fairbanks) Atkins; grandson of Thomas and Betsey (Dudley) Atkins; great-grandson of *Nathaniel Dudley,* private, Capt. Benjamin Whittier's Company New Hampshire Militia; great²-grandson of *John Dudley,* Speaker of New Hampshire House of Representatives, Muster Master and Paymaster.

CHARLES JACOB BABBITT, Boston, Mass. (22195). Son of Benjamin Bosworth and Mary Elizabeth (Eaton) Babbitt; grandson of Jacob and Abbie Eliza (Briggs) Babbitt; great-grandson of Jacob and Bathsheba (Stoddard) Babbitt; great²-grandson of *Ebenezer Babbitt,* Sergeant, Capt. Robert Crossman's Company, Colonel Leonard's Mass. Regt. and other service.

CHARLES OSCAR BACHELOR, Northbridge, Mass. (4950). Supplementals. Son of Joel and Laura (Goldthwait) Bachelor; grandson of Obed and Abi (Brown) Goldthwait; great-grandson of *John Brown,* Sergeant, Col. Ezra Wood's Regt. Mass. Militia; great-grandson of *Stephen Goldthwait,* private Worcester County Mass. Militia; grandson of Joel and Judith (Burdon) Batcheller; great-grandson of *John Burdon,* Corporal, Capt. Bartholomew Woodbury's Company, Colonel Learned's Mass. Regt.

WILLIS DANA BALLARD, Holyoke, Mass. (4922). Supplemental. Son of Dana Lamb and Jane Rebecca (Carpenter) Ballard; grandson of Henry Holton and Samantha McMasters (Lamb) Ballard; great-grandson of Henry and Anna (Sabin) Ballard; great²-grandson of *Daniel Ballard,* private, Capt. Ebenezer Goodall's Company, Colonel Woodbridge's Mass. Regt.

STEPHEN DREW BARTLETT, Allston, Mass. (22187). Son of Hosea Cornish and Sarah Frances (Drew) Bartlett; grandson of Abijah and Sarah Faunce (Chubbuck) Drew; great-grandson of Timothy and Sarah (Faunce) Chubbuck; great²-grandson of *Thomas Faunce,* private, Colonel Cotton's Mass. Regt.

FRANCIS LEAVITT BEAL, Beachmont, Mass. (22188). Son of Zaccheus Leavitt and Maria Priscilla (Tower) Beal; grandson of Zaccheus Lambert and Harriet Souther (Barnes) Beal; great-grandson of Caleb and Sally (Lambert) Beal; great²-grandson of *Daniel Beal,* private, Captain Stoner's (Independent) Company and Captain Wild's Company, Colonel Brooks's Mass. Regt.

JOSEPH JAMES BEDLOW, Cambridge, Mass. (22878). Son of James S. and Sophia Brazier (Kellogg) Bedlow; grandson of Joseph A. and Sophia (Brazier) Kellogg: great-grandson of *Elijah Kellogg,* drummer, Captain Leonard's Company, Col. B. R. Woodbridge's Twenty-fifth Mass. Regt.

J. CARROLL BELL, Boston, Mass. (22476. Son of Julius H. and Ella M. (Crosby) Bell; grandson of William and Zebiah G. (Crane) Bell; great-grandson of Abijah and Rebecca Crane; great²-grandson of *John Crane,* Colonel Third Continental Artillery.

CHARLES EDWIN BELCHER, Brookline, Mass. (23153). Son of Charles Barrett and Mary Olive (Smith) Belcher; grandson of Joseph and Olive (Moore) Smith; great-grandson of Curtis and Polly (Nixon) Moore; great²-grandson of John and Elizabeth (Haynes) Nixon, Jr.; great³-grandson of *John Nixon,* Captain of Minute Men, April 19, 1775, Brigadier-General Continental Army.

EVERETT CHAMBERLIN BENTON, Belmont, Mass. (22891). Son of Charles Emerson and Adda (Chamberlin) Benton; grandson of Abner and Mary (Haseltine) Chamberlin; great-grandson of Joseph and Nancy (McAllister) Chamberlin; great²-grandson of *Joseph Chamberlin,* Second Lieutenant, Capt. John Gideon Bayley's Company, Col. Peter Olcott's Vermont Regt.

FREDERICK ELDRIDGE BRAMHALL, Lynn, Mass. (22495). Son of Albert Nelson and Mary Abbie (Newhall) Bramhall; grandson of Benjamin Lewis and Mary (Weston) Bramhall; great-grandson of Elkanah and Mary (Droll) Weston; great²-grandson of *Zabdiel Weston,* private, Capt. Andrew Samson's Company Mass. Militia.

FRANCIS STEWART BREED, Lynn, Mass. (22009). Supplemental. Son of Joshua Barker Flint and Grace (Newhall) Breed; grandson of James Edwin and Persis (Newhall) Breed; great-grandson of Aaron and second wife, Mrs. Mary (Kemp) (Fiellbrown) Breed; great²-grandson of *Ebenezer Kemp,* private, Capt. Henry Farwell's Company, Col. William Prescott's Regt. Mass. Minute Men.

PERCY HERBERT BRIGHAM, Boston, Mass. (22494). Son of Daniel T. and Ellen Jane (Brown) Brigham; grandson of Franklin and Ann Whitman (Taylor) Brigham; great-grandson of Jabez and Sophia (Hunt) Brigham; great²-grandson of *Benajah* (and Abigail Bent) *Brigham,* private, Major-General Ward's Mass. Regt.; great³-grandson of *Peter Bent,* Member of Mass. Provincial Congress.

CLIFFORD SAMUEL CHAPIN, Great Barrington, Mass. (16023). Supplementals. Son of Curtis and Jannette Hannah (Nelson) Chapin; grandson of John and Harriet (Cushman) Nelson; great-grandson of Edward and Hannah (Ranger) Nelson; great²-grandson of *Moses Ranger,* private, Colonel Leonard's Mass. Regt. and other service; great-grandson of Consider and Rhoda (Gains) Cushman; great²-grandson of *Consider Cushman,* private, Colonel Woodbridge's Mass. Regt.

CHARLES HENRY CHASE, Northampton, Mass. (22496). Son of Henry R. and Mary L. (Wheeler) Chase; grandson of Henry Stewart and Lucy (Weatherhead) Chase; great-grandson of Jonathan and Sophia (Stewart) Chase; great²-grandson of *Daniel Stewart,* Corporal, Colonel Brooks's Mass. Regt.; grandson of Stephen and Mariah (Emerson) Wheeler; great-grandson of William and Lydia (Pratt) Emerson; great²-grandson of *Thomas Emerson,* private, Capt. David Emerson's Company, Colonel Wingate's New Hampshire Regt.

ELIOT A. CLARK, Pittsfield, Mass. (17638). Supplemental. Son of Hiram Hough and Julia Jeannette (Eliot) Clark; grandson of Calvin and Phebe (Hough) Clark; great-grandson of Samuel and Phebe (Post) Hough; great²-grandson of *Joseph Post,* private Conn. Militia.

JOHN MAXWELL CLARK, North Hadley, Mass. (22892). Son of John Wesley and Mary Endicott (Roberts) Clark; grandson of Reuben and Lydia D. (Endicott) Roberts; great-grandson of Timothy and Mary (Trask) Endicott; great²-grandson of *Samuel Endicott,* Surgeon's Mate, Col. Nathaniel Wade's Mass. Regt.

AUSTIN ELIOT COOK, Hadley, Mass. (23159). Son of Rufus and Laura Sophia (Lyman) Cook; grandson of James and Ruhamah (Doane) Cook; great-grandson of *Coleman Cook,* minute man, Capt. Hezekiah Hubbard's Company Mass. Militia; great²-grandson of *Elisha Cook,* private, Capt. Oliver Lyman's Company Mass. Militia.

HOMER FRANCIS COOK, Hadley, Mass. (23160). Son of Charles and Eunice P. Cook; grandson of Winthrop and Sophia (Smith) Cook; great-grandson of Seth and Elizabeth (Stevens) Cook; great²-grandson of *Jonathan Cook,* private, Col. Elisha Porter's Regt. Mass. Militia.

RUFUS LYMAN COOK, Hadley, Mass. (23158). Son of Rufus and Laura Sophia (Lyman) Cook; grandson of James and Ruhamah (Doane) Cook; great-grandson of *Coleman Cook,* minute man, Capt. Hezekiah Hubbard's Company Mass. Militia; great²-grandson of *Elisha Cook,* private, Capt. Oliver Lyman's Company Mass. Militia.

FREDERICK AUGUSTUS CURRIER, Fitchburg, Mass. (22893). Son of Festos Curtis and Joanna M. (Allen) Currier; grandson of Ebenezer H. and Betsey (Pond) Currier; great-grandson of *Edward Currier,* private, Captain Reynolds's Company, Colonel Peabody's New Hampshire Regt., pensioned.

FRANK ELLIOT DICKERMAN, Somerville, Mass. (22023). Son of Quincy E. and Rebecca (Perkins) Dickerman; grandson of Israel and Emily (Harris) Dickerman; great-grandson of *Oliver Harris,* Corporal, Lieut.-Col. Enoch Putnam's Mass. Regt.

HAROLD CLARKE DURRELL, Cambridge, Mass. (18448). Supplemental. Son of Oliver H. and Sophia Gertrude (Eaton) Durrell; grandson of Oliver Bourne and Betsey Gooch (Peabody) Durrell; great-grandson of John and Elvira (Wentworth) Peabody; great^2-grandson of James and Miriam (Mitchell) Peabody; great^3-grandson of *Seth Peabody,* private, Colonel Scammon's Mass. Regt.

GEORGE ALBERT ELLSWORTH, Boston, Mass. (22024). Son of John Noyes and Eliza Howe (Gould) Ellsworth, Jr.; grandson of John Noyes and Nancy Elliott (Gilman) Ellsworth; great-grandson of William and Esther (Noyes) Ellsworth; great^2-grandson of *William Ellsworth,* private, Capt. Thomas Mighill's (Rowley) Company Mass. Minute Men.

WILLIAM E. ELTON, Dorchester, Mass. (22189). Son of William and Eliza A. (Yeamans) Elton; grandson of Nathan N. and Sarah (Matson) Elton; great-grandson of Bradley Elton; great^2-grandson of *Bradley Elton,* private, Capt. Joseph Churchill's Company, Third Battalion, Wadsworth's Conn. Brigade.

WILLIAM MORRELL EMERY, Fall River, Mass. (17897). Supplementals. Son of Edwin and Louisa Farnham (Wing) Emery; grandson of Samuel Spear and Mary (Cook) Wing; great-grandson of Moses and Clarissa (Spear) Wing; great^2-grandson of Moses and Mary (Chandler) Wing; great^3-grandson of *John Chandler,* Member of Committee of Safety of Winthrop, Me.; great^3-grandson of *Simeon Wing,* Member of Sandwich, Mass., Committees; grandson of William Leigh and Mary Elizabeth (Prescott) Emery; great-grandson of Ezekiel and Betsey (Worcester) Prescott; great^2-grandson of Jonathan and Sarah (Brown) Prescott; great^3-grandson of *Micah Prescott,* Associator, recognized patriot of Hampton, N. H.; great^2-grandson of *Philip Worcester,* fifer. Col. James Scammon's Mass. Regt.

WILLARD HENRY FOBES, Malden, Mass. (22483). Son of Henry and Lucy Blackman (Babcock) Fobes; grandson of Cyrus and Hester (Millish) Fobes; great-grandson of *Benjamin Fobes, Jr.,* private Easton, Mass., Company of Minute Men; great-grandson of *John Mellish,* private, Colonel Gill's and other Mass. Regts., fifer on brig "Tyranicide."

ALBERT GOODWIN FOSTER, Lynn, Mass. (22199). Son of George and Susan Maria (Goodwin) Foster; grandson of Albert Thomas and Lydia Maria (Richards) Goodwin; great-grandson of Richard and Susan (Whitney) Richards; great^2-grandson of *Joseph Richards,* private Second Lynn Company Mass. Militia; great^2-grandson of *Stephen Whitney,* private, Col. Josiah Whitney's Regt. Mass. Militia; great^3-grandson of *Josiah Whitney,* Colonel Second Worcester County Regt. Mass. Militia.

WILLIAM LONG FOX, Winthrop, Mass. (22477). Son of Edward Sanborn and Elizabeth Willis (Long) Fox; grandson of Edward and Lydia (Gilman) Fox; great-grandson of *Edward Fox,* Sergeant, Col. Stephen Evans's New Hampshire Regt.

GERALD A. GARDNER, Somervillle, Mass. (22196). Son of Robert Dunbar and Jane (Bliss) Gardner; grandson of Warren and Mary (Dunbar) Gardner; great-grandson of *Jacob Dunbar,* private, Capt. Enoch Whiton's Company, Col. Benjamin Lincoln's Mass. Regt.

ARTHUR PARK GAY, West Newton, Mass. (19756). Supplementals. Son of Richard Lewis and Beulah Anne (Park) Gay; grandson of Joseph Bates and Abigail Morse (Ellis) Gay; great-grandson of Richard and Suzea (Bates) Gay; great²-grandson of *Issacher Bates*, private, Capt. Joseph Elliott's Company Conn. Militia; grandson of Russell and Anne Williams (Green) Park; great-grandson of Joseph and Hannah (Merriam) Park; great²-grandson of James Russell and Anna (Lealand) Park; great³-grandson of *Asaph Lealand*, private, Capt. Ezra Emes's Company, Col. Abner Perry's Mass. Regt.

RICHARD LEWIS GAY, Brookline, Mass. (19757). Supplemental. Son of Joseph Bates and Abigail Morse (Ellis) Gay; grandson of Richard and Suzea (Bates) Gay; great-grandson of *Issacher Bates*, private, Capt. Joseph Elliott's Company Conn. Militia.

WILLIAM PRESCOTT GREENLAW, Winthrop, Mass. (22025). Son of Nathaniel Webb and Susan Woodward (Poole) Greenlaw; grandson of Samuel Hale and Sally (Yates) Poole; great-grandson of *Jonathan* (and Elizabeth Hale) *Poole*, Surgeon's Mate First New Hampshire Regt.; great²-grandson of *John Hale*, Surgeon First New Hampshire Regt.; grandson of Ebenezer and Ruth (Webb) Greenlaw; great-grandson of *Nathaniel Webb*, Corporal, Col. Michael Jackson's Mass. Regt., Matross Third Artillery Regt.; great-grandson of *George James Yates*, Captain, Colonel Jones's Third Lincoln County Regt. Mass. Militia.

WILLIAM HALE, Gloucester, Mass. (22894). Son of Francis William and Susan Hayes (Lord) Hale; grandson of Edwin Parks Stanhope and Maria (Philpot) Lord; great-grandson of *Nathan Lord*, Lieutenant, Col. James Scammon's and Col. John Paterson's Mass. Regts.

CHARLES ARTHUR HARDING, Waltham, Mass. (22497). Son of Solomon and Sarah M. (Briggs) Harding; grandson of Moses and Margaret (Pomeroy) Briggs; great-grandson of Arad Hunt and Charity (Emery) Pomeroy; great²-grandson of Medad and Sarah (Hunt) Pomeroy; great³-grandson of *Seth Pomeroy*, Brigadier-General Continental Army; great-grandson of Otis and Ann W. (Williams) Briggs; great²-grandson of *Joel Briggs*, private, Capt. Seth Gilbert's Company, Col. John Daggett's Mass. Regt.

CHARLES HOUGHTON HASTINGS, Lynn, Mass. (21478). Supplemental. Son of Horace Nutter and Augusta Ann (Houghton) Hastings; grandson of Charles and Mary (Frost) Hastings; great-grandson of Benjamin and Rebecca (Clark) Hastings; great²-grandson of *Richard Clark*, private, Capt. Samuel Barnard's Company, Col. Thomas Gardner's Mass. Regt.

WILMOT REED HASTINGS, Lynn, Mass. (22879). Son of Horace Nutter and Augusta Ann (Houghton) Hastings; grandson of Charles and Mary (Frost) Hastings; great-grandson of *Benjamin* (and Rebecca Clark) *Hastings*, private, Capt. Phineas Stearns's Company, Col. Samuel Thatcher's Mass. Regt.; great²-grandson of *Richard Clark*, private, Col. Thomas Gardner's Mass. Regt.; great²-grandson of *Simon Hastings*, private, Col. Thomas Gardner's Mass. Regt.

HENRY GATES HATHORNE, Danvers, Mass. (22197). Son of Henry G. and Helen M. (Fay) Hathorne; grandson of Windsor and Dorcas (Clark) Fay; great-grandson of *John Fay*, private Joseph Fay's Company Mass. Minute Men and Col. Jonathan Ward's Mass. Regt.

WILLIAM HENRY HAWKINS, Blackstone, Mass. (22479). Son of Oliver Hazard Perry and Alzada (Irons) Hawkins; grandson of *Benjamin Hawkins*, private Rhode Island Troops, pensioned.

N. SEELYE HITCHCOCK, Easthampton, Mass. (22484). Son of Stillman Moody and Julia Eleanor (Strangford) Hitchcock; grandson of Charles Merrick and Fanny E. (Wright) Hitchcock; great-grandson of George King and Sally (Moody) Hitchcock; great²-grandson of Godfrey and Abigail (King) Hitchcock; great³-grandson of *Luke Hitchcock*, Member of Mass. General Court, 1775, private, Col. John Moseley's Mass. Regt.

CHARLES LEWIS HOITT, Lynn, Mass. (22478). Son of Lewis Alfred and Angie Rhuhama (Gray) Hoitt; grandson of Joshua and Theodatha Batchelder (Pillsbury) Hoitt; great-grandson of James and Rhoda (Smart) Pillsbury; great²-grandson of Edmund and Martha (Hale) Pillsbury; great³-grandson of *Moses Pillsbury,* private, Capt. Caleb Pillsbury's detachment Mass. Militia, April 19, 1775.

JEROME CARTER HOSMER, Dorchester, Mass. (5231). Supplemental. Son of Charles and Susannah (Carter) Hosmer; grandson of Samuel and Sarah (Hosmer) Hosmer; great-grandson of *Stephen Hosmer,* Sergeant, Capt. Joseph Hosmer's (Concord) Company, Col. Eleazer Brooks's Mass. Regt.

ARTHUR CLARK HOWE, North Hadley, Mass. (22895). Son of John Cutler and Helen Eliza (Dickinson) Howe; grandson of Darius and Mary (Clark) Howe; great-grandson of *John Clark,* private, Col. Benjamin Gill's Mass. Regt., pensioned.

FRED JOTHAM HUTCHINSON, Hyde Park, Mass. (22176). Son of Jotham Patten and Abigail Elisabeth (Hadley) Hutchinson; grandson of Isaac and Abigail (Sevey or Seavey) Hadley; great-grandson of *Moses Hadley,* private, Capt. James Ford's Company New Hampshire Militia; great-grandson of *John Sevey,* private, Capt. Archelaus Towne's Company Twenty-seventh Regt. of Foot and Colonel Hale's New Hampshire Regt.

GEORGE ABNER INGALLS, Lynn, Mass. (22896). Son of Theodore Lorillard and Ellen Maria (Arrington) Ingalls; grandson of Loadman and Elizabeth (Alley) Arrington; great-grandson of *Nathan Alley,* private of militia, matross, Col. Thomas Craft's Artillery Regt.

RUPERT WARD JAQUES, Boston, Mass. (21486). Supplemental. Son of Harry Archer and Junie Arvilla (Hicken) Jaques; grandson of Edwin Shepard and Caroline Louisa (Robinson) Jaques; great-grandson of Giles Merrill and Mary Ann (Smith) Jaques; great²-grandson of Stephen and Mary (Bartlett) Jaques; great³-grandson of *Samuel Jaques,* private, Col. Nathaniel Wade's and other Mass. Regts.

WALLACE LOWE KIMBALL, Haverhill, Mass. (22888). Son of Leverett and Mary Lowe (Stevens) Kimball; grandson of Joseph Lowe and Dorothy (Little) Stevens; great-grandson of *Zachariah Stevens,* private, Col. Nathaniel Wade's Mass. Regt.

CHARLES EDGAR LAMB, Winthrop, Mass. (22177). Son of Charles Bartlett and Marian Maranda (Person) Lamb; grandson of John and Sarah (Nickerson) Lamb, Jr.; great-grandson of *John Lamb,* private, Colonel Doolittle's and Colonel Nixon's Mass. Regts., pensioned.

EMORY WARREN LANE, Waltham, Mass. (22897). Son of Emory William and Ellen Elizabeth (Warren) Lane; grandson of Nehemiah and Sally (Wyman) Warren; great-grandson of *Nathan Warren,* private, Col. Cyprian Howe's and other Mass. Regts.

CHARLES EDWARD LITCHFIELD, Attleboro, Mass. (22898). Son of Edward Merritt and Martha Jane (Morse) Litchfield; grandson of Libya Merritt and Chloe (Bates) Litchfield; great-grandson of Comins and Sally (Blanchard) Litchfield; great²-grandson of *James Litchfield,* private, Col. Jeduthan Baldwin's Regt. of Artificers.

GEORGE ALEXANDER LITCHFIELD, Marlboro, Mass. (22178). Son of Liberty Warren and Mattie Susan (Searles) Litchfield; grandson of Pliny Thurston and Maria Elizabeth (Sykes) Litchfield; great-grandson of Liberty and Catherine Pratt (Thurston) Litchfield; great²-grandson of Comins and Sally (Blanchard) Litchfield; great³-grandson of *James Litchfield,* private, Col. Jeduthan Baldwin's Mass. Regt.; great²-grandson of Nathan and Sarah or Sally (Campbell) Thurston; great³-grandson of *Alexander Campbell,* Member of the First Mass. Provincial Congress, Member of Oxford Committee of Correspond-

ence, 1774; great^3-grandson of *Josiah* (and Mary Lamb) *Blanchard,* private, Col. Jacob Davies's Worcester County Regt. Mass. Militia; great^4-grandson of *Samuel Lamb,* Corporal, Col. William Shepard's Mass. Regt.

JOHN FREDERIC BATES LITCHFIELD, Worcester, Mass. (22179). Son of Libya Merritt and Chloe (Bates) Litchfield; grandson of Comins and Sally (Blanchard) Litchfield; great-grandson of *James Litchfield,* private, Col. Jedu-than Baldwin's Mass. Regt.; great-grandson of *Josiah* (and Mary Lamb) *Blanchard,* private, Col. Jacob Davies's Worcester County Regt. Mass. Militia; great^2-grandson of *Samuel Lamb,* Corporal, Col. William Shepard's Mass. Regt.; grandson of Jacob and Sally (Rhodes) Bates; great-grandson of Ezekiel and Chloe (Bates) Rhodes; great^2-grandson of *James Rhodes,* private Fifth Conn. Regt.; great^2-grandson of *Elijah* (and Chloe Tyler) *Bates,* parents of Chloe, private, Col. John Daggett's Mass. Regt.; great^3-grandson of *Moses Tyler,* Lieutenant Fourth Bristol County Regt. Mass. Militia; great-grandson of Alanson and Comfort (Robinson) Bates, parents of Jacob; great^2-grandson of *Silas Robinson,* private, Col. Nathan Sparhawk's Mass. Regt.; great^2-grand-son of *John Bates,* private, Col. John Daggett's Mass. Regt.

WILLIAM ELIAS LITCHFIELD, Newton, Mass. (22899). Son of Joseph Wil-liam and Mary Jane (Sloane) Litchfield; grandson of Charles and Deborah (Totman) Litchfield; great-grandson of Noah and Sarah (Willcutt) Litchfield; great^2-grandson of James and Hannah (Pratt) Litchfield; great^3-grandson of *Josiah Litchfield,* private, Col. Josiah Whitney's Mass. Regt.

CLARENCE BERTRAM LIVINGSTON, Lowell, Mass. (22485). Son of Winfield Scott and Frances Eliza Ann (French) Livingston; grandson of Samuel Wil-lard and Ann (Oliver) Livingston; great-grandson of Mathew and Martha (Wheaton) Livingston; great^2-grandson of *Benjamin Livingston,* Captain First Regt. Mass. Militia, Colonel Denny.

WILLIAM SCOTT LYON, Wellesley, Mass. (22880). Son of Charles Clarke and Amanda (Cogswell) Lyon; grandson of Caleb and Martha (Crane) Lyon; great-grandson of *Benjamin Lyon,* private Essex County New Jersey Light Horse.

EDWARD MARSH, Dedham, Mass. (22180). Son of Francis and Emma I. Marsh; grandson of Francis and Eliza Marsh; great-grandson of Martin and Elizabeth (Metcalf) Marsh; great^2-grandson of *Jonathan Metcalf,* Lieutenant, Col. Craft's Artillery Regt., killed in action.

HENRY ROGERS MAYO, Lynn, Mass. (22190). Son of Frederick David and Lucy Ann (Rogers) Mayo; grandson of Warren and Jerusha Green (Cloon) Rogers; great-grandson of *Thomas Rogers,* Sergeant, Capt. Elijah Crocker's Company, Col. John Thomas's Mass. Regt.

FREDERICK HOWARD NEWHALL, Lynn, Mass. (22881). Son of George Thompson and Harriet (Trask) Newhall; grandson of Francis Stewart and Lydia (Burrill) Newhall; great-grandson of Winthrop and Elizabeth (Farring-ton) Newhall; great^2-grandson of *William Farrington,* Captain Second Lynn Company, April 19, 1775; great-grandson of Thompson and Lydia (Quiner) Burrill; great^2-grandson of *John Burrill,* private Fourth Lynn Company, April 19, 1775; great^3-grandson of *Ebenezer Burrill,* Delegate Mass. Provincial Con-gress, 1774; great^2-grandson of *John Quiner,* private, Capt. William Blackler's Company, Col. John Glover's Mass. Regt.; grandson of John and Delia (Dear-born) Trask; great-grandson of Richard and Dolly (Underhill) Dearborn; great^2-grandson of *Jonathan Dearborn,* private, Col. Thomas Tash's New Hampshire Regt.; great^2-grandson of Samuel and Sarah (Underhill) Under-hill; great^3-grandson of *John Underhill,* private, Col. Thomas Stickney's New Hampshire Regt.

GEORGE BYRON NICHOLS, Lynn, Mass. (22498). Son of Joseph Oliver Stoddard and Anna Esther (Steele) Nichols; grandson of Joseph and Harriet Ann (Doane) Nichols; great-grandson of Richard and Mary (Randall) Doane; great²-grandson of *Edward Doane,* private, Capt. David Strout's (Seacoast) Company Mass. Militia.

GEORGE ELWIN NICKERSON, Lynn, Mass. (22181). Son of Horace Jefferson and Mary (Collins) Nickerson; grandson of Alden and Amelia (Chamberlain) Nickerson; great-grandson of Warren and Annie (Alden) Nickerson; great²-grandson of *Austin Alden,* Lieutenant, Col. Samuel Brewer's Mass. Regt.; great-grandson of Joshua Chamberlain; great²-grandson of *Ebenezer Chamberlain,* private, Capt. Edward Everett's Company, Colonel Bedel's New Hampshire Regt.

PEARL HILDRETH PARKER, Dracut, Mass. (18220). Supplemental. Son of Israel Hildreth and Josephine Aurilla (Hodgkins) Parker; grandson of Worthy and Mary (Nudd) Parker; great-grandson of Jonathan and Alice (Gutterson) Parker; great²-grandson of *William Gutterson,* private, Maj. Samuel Bodwell's Company Mass. Minute Men and Col. Edward Wigglesworth's Mass. Regt.

JAMES CHARLES PEABODY, Roxbury, Mass. (22480). Son of Timothy Howard and Sarah Ann Thaxter (Williams) Peabody; grandson of Oliver and Lydia (Howard) Peabody; great-grandson of *John Peabody,* private, Col. Jacob Gerrish's Mass. Regt., pensioned; great²-grandson of *Richard Peabody,* Captain, Col. Edward Wigglesworth's Mass. Regt.

FRANK HERVEY PETTINGELL, Colorado Springs, Colo. (Mass. 11521). Supplemental. Son of Nathaniel Henry and Mary Anna (Felch) Petttingell; grandson of Cutting and Olive (Smith) Pettingell; great-grandson of *John Smith,* seaman on frigate "Alliance," Captain Landais.

ALFRED PIERCE, Lexington, Mass. (22882). Son of Loring Smith and Frances Augusta (Harrington) Pierce; grandson of Lewis and Sarah (Dudley) Harrington; great-grandson of *Thaddeus Harrington,* private, Captain Parker's Company Lexington Minute Men, April 19, 1775, Adjutant Third Middlesex County Regt., 1776.

JOHN BUCKBEE QUINN, Lexington, Mass. (23155). Son of Michael and Katherine (Buckbee) Quinn; grandson of John T. and Frances (Van Dusen) Buckbee; great-grandson of Joseph and Susanna (Betts) Buckbee; great²-grandson of *Benjamin Betts,* private, Col. John Mead's Conn. Regt.

JOHN SAMUEL RICHARDSON, Boston, Mass. (22883). Son of Daniel Thompson and Eliza Ann Richardson; grandson of Joseph and Charlotte (Thompson) Richardson; great-grandson of *Joseph Richardson,* private, Capt. Jonathan Andrews's Company Mass. Militia; great-grandson of Isaac Snow and Sarah (Hay) Thompson; great²-grandson of *Daniel Thompson,* of Woburn, Mass., killed April 19, 1775.

RAY RICHMOND, Brockton, Mass. (22900). Son of Edwin A. and Lettie (Pratt) Richmond; grandson of Jared and Julia A. (Kingman) Pratt; great-grandson of Jonathan and Malinda (Shaw) Pratt; great²-grandson of Samuel and Lydia (Cobb) Shaw; great³-grandson of *Thomas Shaw,* private Seventh Company Twelfth Mass. Continental Regt.

WILLIAM EDWIN SALOMONS, Lynn, Mass. (22191). Son of George and Harriette Frances (Newton) Salomons; grandson of Joel and Harriet (Dudley) Newton; great-grandson of John and Mary (Whitney) Dudley; great²-grandson of *Benjamin Dudley,* private, Capt. Jonathan Fisk's (Weston) Company, Colonel Brooks's Mass. Regt.

CHARLES SIDNEY SANBORN, Lynn, Mass. (22884). Son of John Sidney and Frances Lydia (Alexander) Sanborn; grandson of Enoch and Elizabeth (Flint) Sanborn; great-grandson of *Peter Sanborn,* private, Captain Shaw's Company, Colonel Fogg's Mass. Regt., pensioned.

RALPH ROSCOE SANBORN, Lynn, Mass. (22877). Son of John Sidney and Frances Lydia (Alexander) Sanborn; grandson of Enoch and Elizabeth (Flint) Sanborn; great-grandson of *Peter Sanborn*, private, Captain Shaw's Company, Colonel Fogg's Mass. Regt., pensioned.

HOLLIS HUNNEWELL SAWYER, Waban, Mass. (22885). Son of Lemuel B. and Abby Amelia (Whittemore) Sawyer; grandson of Otis and Susan (Lord) Whittemore; great-grandson of Philip and Abigail (Nye) Lord; great^2-grandson of *Elisha Nye*, Captain Mass. Coast Guards.

ALFRED LONG SENTON, Wellesley, Mass. (22886). Son of Benjamin C. and Jennie M. (Long) Senton; grandson of James Henry and Susan E. (Whitney) Senton; great-grandson of Benjamin and Hepzibah (Moore) Whitney; great^2-grandson of Timothy and Hepzibah (Nixon) Moore; great^3-grandson of *John Nixon*, Captain of Minute Men at Lexington, April 19, 1775, Brigadier-General Continental Army, 1776; grandson of Alfred Jerome and Susan Eleanor (Coulson) Long; great-grandson of Jared and Martha (Barr) Long; great^2-grandson of *Levi Long*, private, Captain Brigham's Company Eighth Regt. Conn. Line.

HENRY LYMAN SHAW, Boston, Mass. (22182). Son of Joel and Alice (Locke) Shaw; grandson of Gilbert and Silence (Cole) Shaw; great-grandson of *Abner Shaw*, Corporal, Col. Paul D. Sargent's Mass. Regt.; great-grandson of *Eleazer Cole*, drummer, Capt. Josiah Hayden's Company Mass. Minute Men, Colonel Bayley's Regt.; grandson of Nathan and Hannah (Goodnow) Locke; great-grandson of *Ebenezer Locke*, Corporal, Captain Bowman's Company, Colonel Bigelow's Mass. Regt.

WALTER PIERCE SHELDON, Malden, Mass. (22486). Son of Israel Augustus and Isabella Williams (Masson) Sheldon; grandson of Israel and Sally (Peirce) Sheldon; great-grandson of Nathaniel and Nancy (Woodbury) Pierce; great^2-grandson of Joseph and Huldah (Putnam) Woodbury; great^3-grandson of *Peter Woodbury*, Sergeant, Capt. Caleb Dodge's Beverly Company at Lexington Alarm.

EDWIN ERNEST SIBLEY, Chelsea, Mass. (22183). Son of Stephen and Anna (Emerson) Sibley; grandson of Parker and Anna (Jones) Emerson; great-grandson of *Parker Emerson*, Sergeant Mass. Militia and Line.

EZRA ERNEST SMITH, Boston, Mass. (4805). Supplementals. Son of Ezra E. and Mary Elizabeth (Bryant) Smith; grandson of Ebenezer and Freelove (Smith) Bryant; great-grandson of Joseph and Thankful (Brewer) Smith; great^2-grandson of *Eldad Smith*, private, Captain Wells's Company Conn. Militia; great-grandson of *Timothy Bryant*, private, Capt. Timothy Cheney's Company Conn. Militia.

FRANK HERBERT SMITH, Hadley, Mass. (18487). Supplemental. Son of George Myron and Mary Abby (Cook) Smith; grandson of Caleb and Elizabeth (Williams) Smith; great-grandson of *Caleb Smith*, private, Capt. Joshua Parker's Company, Col. Nathaniel Wadsworth's Mass. Regt., pensioned; grandson of Enos E. and Elizabeth W. (Nash) Cook; great-grandson of Elihu and Elizabeth S. (Hall) Cook; great^2-grandson of *Elihu Cook*, Corporal, Colonel Woodbridge's Mass. Regt.; great-grandson of Erastus and Penelope (Gaylord) Nash; great^2-grandson of *Samuel Gaylord*, Sergeant, Capt. Eliakim Smith's Company Mass. Militia.

FRED GARDNER SMITH, Winthrop, Mass. (23156). Son of Charles Henry and Harriet M. (Gardner) Smith; grandson of James M. and Emily Somes (Freeman) Gardner; great-grandson of Perez and Sally (Bell) Gardner; great^2-grandson of *Perez Gardner*, private, Col. Joseph Vose's Mass. Regt.

RUFUS MAY SMITH, Hadley, Mass. (23157). Son of Chester and Mary Ann Smith; grandson of Sereno and Betsey (Stockbridge) Smith; great-grandson of *David Stockbridge*, Corporal, Capt. John Thompson's Company, Colonel Leonard's Regt. Mass. Militia.

ERNEST BOWKER SOUTHWORTH, Stoughton, Mass. (23151). Son of Gurdon and Sarah B. (Staples) Southworth; grandson of Luther and Sarah Ann (Richards) Southworth; great-grandson of Jedediah and Sarah (Hewitt) Southworth; great²-grandson of *Jedediah Southworth*, Captain, Col. Joseph Read's Mass. Regt.

WALTER LEVI SPAULDING, Indian Orchard, Mass. (22487). Son of Rufus and Ellen Maria (Lawrence) Spaulding; grandson of Levi and Sarah Abigail (Haywood) Lawrence; great-grandson of Amos and Lydia (Shattuck) Lawrence; great²-grandson of *Eleazer* (and Mary Blood) *Shattuck*, private, Colonel Prescott's Mass. Regt.; great³-grandson of *David Blood*, private, Colonel Prescott's Mass. Regt.; great²-grandson of Charles and Naomi (Stone) Lawrence; great³-grandson of *Samuel Lawrence*, private, Colonel Prescott's Mass. Regt.; great-grandson of Luther and Hannah (Peirce) Haywood; great²-grandson of *David Haywood*, private, Colonel Denny's Mass. Regt.; great³-grandson of *Charles H. Haywood*, private First Worcester County Regt. Mass. Militia; great²-grandson of *Matthew Peirce*, private, Col. Moses Little's Twelfth Mass. Regt.; grandson of Phineas Wright and Rachel (Hadley) Spaulding; great-grandson of *Zebulon Spaulding*, private, Colonel Brooks's Mass. Regt.; great-grandson of *Jonas Hadley*, private, Col. Jonathan Reed's Mass. Regt.; great²-grandson of *John Hadley*, private, Colonel Brooks's and Colonel Prescott's Mass. Regts.

RUFUS WILLIAM SPRAGUE, Charlestown, Mass. (22488). Son of Rufus William and Mary (Ford) Sprague; grandson of Archibald and Sarah Colburn (Short) Sprague; great-grandson of *Rufus Sprague*, Commissary Rhode Island Troops.

JAMES REUBEN STICKNEY, Atlantic, Mass. (23154). Son of Edwin Percy and Lucia Frances (Dunlap) (Thruston) Stickney; grandson of David and Nancy P. (Hale) Stickney; great-grandson of David and Hannah (Tuttle) Stickney; great²-grandson of *James Tuttle*, Corporal, Col. Perse Long's New Hampshire Battalion; great²-grandson of Amos and Mary (Fullington) Stickney; great³-grandson of *David Fullington*, private, Colonel Poor's Ninth New Hampshire Regt.; grandson of Whitney and Abby Francis (Hills) Dunlap; great-grandson of Thomas and Polly (Wallace) Dunlap; great²-grandson of *Adam Dunlap*, private, Col. Jacob Gale's Regt. New Hampshire Volunteers; great-grandson of Reuben and Lydia (Fletcher) Hills; great²-grandson of David and Mehetable (Robinson) Hills; great³-grandson of Peter and Sarah (Peabody) Robinson; great⁴-grandson of *David Peabody*, private, Col. Moses Nichols's New Hampshire Regt.; great²-grandson of Samuel and Anna (Bodwell) Fletcher; great³-grandson of *Francis Fletcher*, private, Col. Enoch Hale's New Hampshire Regt.; great³-grandson of *William Bodwell*, private, Col. Ebenezer Francis's New Hampshire Regt.

IRVING STONE, Lexington, Mass. (22489). Son of Samuel and Philina (Pease) Stone; grandson of *Samuel Pease*, drummer, Captain Kinsman's Company, Col. John Stark's New Hampshire Regt.

JAMES FRANKLIN THAYER, Chelsea, Mass. (14564). Supplemental. Son of Andrew Jackson and Susanna Augusta (Tobey) Thayer; grandson of James and Susannah H. (Jones) Tobey; great-grandson of *William Tobey*, Second Lieutenant Mass. Coast Guards at Falmouth, Maine district.

HARRY AUGUSTIN THOMPSON, Lowell, Mass. (22490). Son of Augustin and Sarah (Stewart) Thompson; grandson of James and Harriet (Maxfield) Thompson; great-grandson of James and Hannah (Batchelder) Maxfield; great²-grandson of *Nathaniel Maxfield*, private, Col. Thomas Stickney's New Hampshire Regt.

JOHN TRULL, Tewksbury, Mass. (22491). Son of Jesse Loring and Ellen H. (Wood) Trull; grandson of Jesse and Olive (Thorndyke) Trull; great-grandson of *John Trull*, Captain of Minute Men, Col. Ebenezer Bridge's Mass. Militia.

FRANK TUPPER, Worcester, Mass. (22184). Son of George Washington and Elizabeth (Baldwin) Tupper; grandson of William and Miriam (Shields) Tupper; great-grandson of *David Lombard Shields,* Sergeant, Capt. David Holbrook's Company, Colonel Shepard's Mass. Regt., pensioned; great-grandson of *Ichabod Tupper,* Sergeant. Capt. Philip Thomas's Company, Colonel Marshall's Mass. Regt., pensioned.

CHARLES HILLEBOURNE VAN DEUSEN, Springfield, Mass. (22499). Son of John and Harriet Sarah (Duxbury) Van Deusen; grandson of John and Ann Maria (Whitbeck) Van Deusen; great-grandson of *Cornelius Van Deusen,* Sergeant and Ensign Eighth Regt. First Claverack New York Battalion, widow pensioned.

HARRIE HOLLAND WHITNEY, Arlington, Mass. (22492). Son of Henry F. and Sarah H. Whitney; grandson of Silas Gore and Sarah Susan (Penniman) Whitney; great-grandson of Silas and Abigail M. Whitney; great²-grandson of *Silas Whitney,* private, Capt. Amasa Cranston's Company, Col. Eleazer Brooks's Mass. Regt.

DORVIL MILLER WILCOX, Lee, Mass. (19745). Supplemental. Son of Henry and Susanna (Miller) Wilcox; grandson of *Nathaniel Wilcox,* private, Colonel Van Dyke's New York Regt. and other service, pensioned; great-grandson of *Hiel Wilcox,* private Seventeenth Albany County New York Regt., pensioned.

WILLIAM AUGUSTUS WILLEY, Lynn, Mass. (22198). Son of James Leighton and Mary Elizabeth (Scammon) Willey; grandson of Joseph and second wife, Abigail C. (Marshall) Scammon; great-grandson of Dominicus and Hannah (Tarbox) Scammon; great²-grandson of *Dominicus Scammon,* Member of Committee of Inspection of Saco, Maine.

CHARLES EDWIN WILLIAMS, Northampton, Mass. (17890). Supplementals. Son of John P. and Harriet A. (Wheeler) Williams; grandson of Peres and Desire (Wheeler) Wheeler; great-grandson of Peres and Desire (Randall) Wheeler; great²-grandson of *John Randall,* private Second Company, Colonel Huntington's Conn. Regt.; great-grandson of Nathan and Desire Wheeler, parents of Desire; great²-grandson of Hosea and Bridget (Grant) Wheeler; great³-grandson of *Oliver Grant,* Captain Fourth Conn. Battalion under General Spencer, pensioned; great³-grandson of *Jeremiah Wheeler,* private Eighth Regt. Conn. Militia; grandson of John P. and Cynthia (York) Williams; great-grandson of Jesse and Cynthia (Miner) York; great²-grandson of *Jesse York,* Sergeant Eighth Regt. Conn. Militia; great²-grandson of *Charles Miner,* private First Conn. Regt., 1780; great-grandson of Isaac and Phebe Williams; great²-grandson of *Warham Williams,* private Conn. Troops, pensioned.

LOUIS MARTIN WINSLOW, Lynn, Mass. (22192). Son of John Martin and Martha Denison (Hartshorn) Winslow; grandson of Richard Denison and Martha H. (Rhoades) Hartshorn; great-grandson of Richard and Nancy (Paine) Hartshorn, Jr.; great²-grandson of *Richard Hartshorn,* Sergeant, Capt. Timothy Mann's Company Fourth Suffolk County Regt. Mass. Militia; grandson of George and Olive C. (Smith) Winslow; great-grandson of Nathan and Mary (Nye) Winslow, Jr.; great²-grandson of *Nathan Winslow,* private, Capt. Benjamin Berry's (Harwich) Company, Maj. Zenas Winslow's Mass. Regt.

FREDERICK MARSHALL WOOD, Ashmont, Mass. (22193). Son of Nathaniel Goodwin and Maria Sizer (Johnson) Wood; grandson of Thomas and Hetty (Sizer) Johnson; great-grandson of Enoch Sizer; great²-grandson of *Lemuel Sizer,* Sergeant, Capt. Nathaniel Edwards's Company, General Waterbury's Conn. State Brigade.

FRANK VERNON WRIGHT, Jr., Salem, Mass. (23152). Son of Frank Vernon and Cornelia L. Wright; grandson of William Augustus and Frances Sophia (Huntington) Wright; great-grandson of Benjamin and Caroline (Dolliver) Huntington; great²-grandson of *Peter Dolliver,* Captain, Col. Henry Jackson's Sixteenth Mass. Continental Regt.

WILLIAM HENRY WYETH, Chelsea, Mass. (22500). Son of George E. and Ruth Jane (Eaton) Wyeth; grandson of Ebenezer and Naomi (Cook) Wyeth; great-grandson of *Ebenezer Wyeth*, private, Capt. Samuel Thatcher's Company, Col. Gardner's Mass. Regt.

MICHIGAN SOCIETY.

STEPHEN LEWIS ANGLE, Detroit, Mich. (21721). Son of William Wallace and Harriet Elizabeth (Lewis) Angle; grandson of Stephen and Hannah (Alderman) Lewis; great-grandson of Abram Curtis and Julia (Judson) Lewis; great²-grandson of *Stephen Lewis*, private Fourth Conn. Regt., 1776, pensioned.

EDWARD HORACE ASHLEY, Detroit, Mich. (22727). Son of Hiram and Polly (Gilbert) Ashley; grandson of Noah and Elizabeth (Sheldon) Ashley; great-grandson of *William Ashley*, Ensign, Capt. Bacon's Company, Col. John Fellows's Mass. Regt.

WILBERT H. BARRETT, Adrian, Mich. (22734). Son of Reuben T. and Lucinda Maxson (Tomlinson) Barrett; grandson of Abel Sheppard and Lois (Davis) Tomlinson; great-grandson of Thomas and Rachel (Ayers) Tomlinson; great²-grandson of *James Tomlinson*, First Lieutenant New Jersey Militia.

HAROLD EDWARD CLARK, Detroit, Mich. (22737). Son of John E. and Frances M. (Hutchins) Clark; grandson of Moses P. and Jane (Thorpe) Hutchins; great-grandson of Samuel and Rosana (Child) Hutchins; great²-grandson of *Jeremiah Hutchins*, private, Capt. Smith Emerson's Company New Hampshire Militia.

PHILIP TAYLOR COLGROVE, Hastings, Mich. (22733). Son of Charles H. and Rosalia Catherine (Van Zile) Colgrove; grandson of David Mills and Elvira Cook (Taylor) Van Zile; great-grandson of Ebenezer and Polly (Cook) Taylor; great²-grandson of *Reuben Cook*, private Penna. Militia, pensioned.

HARRY ARMITAGE CONANT, Monroe, Mich. (22735). Son of Harry and Maria (Stewart) Conant; grandson of *Eleazer Conant*, Paymaster Seventh Conn. Line.

FRED GRAY DEWEY, Detroit, Mich. (21718). Son of William Albert and Mary (Gray) Dewey; grandson of Birdsey and Sarah (Jersey) Dewey; great-grandson of *Gideon Dewey*, private, Col. Ruggles Woodbridge's Mass. Regt., pensioned.

HENRY RILEY FULLER, Detroit, Mich. (21714). Son of Simon Greenleaf and Celeste Parmalee (Bostwick) Fuller; grandson of Samuel and Charlotte Kingman (Greenleaf) Fuller; great-grandson of Simon and Hannah (Kingman) Greenleaf; great²-grandson of *Moses Greenleaf*, Captain Eleventh Mass. Regt., Col. Ebenezer Tupper.

CHARLES WENDELL HARRAH, Detroit, Mich. (21722). Son of William Delaney and Hester (Hartzell) Harrah; grandson of William Neill and Deborah (Delaney) Harrah; great-grandson of James G. and Margaret (Neill) Harrah; great²-grandson of *Charles Harra*, private, Capt. Robert Campbell's Company, Col. Thomas Porter's Lancaster County Battalion Penna. Militia.

CHARLES HARRISON HATCH, Detroit, Mich. (21716). Son of Herschel Harrison and Eliza E. Hatch; grandson of Julius Wells and Harriet (Bicknell) Hatch; great-grandson of Joel and Ruth (Gray) Hatch; great²-grandson of *Jethro Hatch*, Major Thirteenth Regt. Conn. Volunteers.

HERSCHEL HARRISON HATCH, Detroit, Mich. (21715). Son of Julius Wells and Harriet (Bicknell) Hatch; grandson of Joel and Ruth (Gray) Hatch; great-grandson of *Jethro Hatch*, Major Thirteenth Regt. Conn. Volunteers.

IRA WAITE JAYNE, Detroit, Mich. (21713). Son of Daniel G. and Alice (Waite) Jayne; grandson of Elihu and Elizabeth (Tarbell) Waite; great-grandson of Elihu and Lydia (Fuller) Waite; great²-grandson of *Elihu Waite*, pri-

vate, Colonel Fellows's Mass. Regt.; grandson of Benjamin and Anna Marilla (Bradford) Jayne; great-grandson of Benjamin Jones and Deliverance (Rooks) Jayne; great²-grandson of *Jotham Jayne*, private Fourth Regt. New York Line.

CHARLES FARWELL LAWSON, Detroit, Mich. (21725). Son of B. Howard and Maria Sophia (Holling) Lawson; grandson of William L. and Mary L. (Galloway) Holling; great-grandson of James and Emilia (Lewis) Galloway; great²-grandson of *John Galloway*, private Cumberland County New York Militia.

CHARLES BENAJAH LEONARD, Detroit, Mich. (21712). Son of Charles Henri and Cornelius Salome (Williams) Leonard; grandson of Benajah and Hannah Maria (Gardner) Williams; great-grandson of Benajah and Jerusha (Smith) Williams; great²-grandson of Isaiah and Anna (Mattison) Williams; great³-grandson of *Joseph Williams*, Major Vermont Militia, Member of Westminster Convention of 1777.

CORNELIUS WILLIAMS LEONARD, Oklahoma, Okla. (Mich. 21711). Son of Charles Henri and Cornelius Salome (Williams) Leonard; grandson of Benajah and Hannah Maria (Gardner) Williams; great-grandson of Benajah and Jerusha (Smith) Williams; great²-grandson of Isaiah and Anna (Mattison) Williams; great³-grandson of *Joseph Williams*, Major Vermont Militia, Member of Westminster Convention of 1777.

EUGENE McFALL, Detroit, Mich. (21709). Son of William Harrison and Sarah (Mackey) McFall; grandson of Thomas and Ann (Murdock) McFall; great-grandson of *William Murdock*, private Bucks County Penna. Associators; grandson of Lewis and Margaret (Campbell) Mackey; great-grandson of *McDonald Campbell*, private First Somerset County Battalion New Jersey Militia.

GUY HARRISON McFALL, Detroit, Mich. (21710). Son of Eugene and Anna (Stevens) McFall; grandson of William Harrison and Sarah (Mackey) McFall; great-grandson of Thomas and Ann (Murdock) McFall; great²-grandson of *William Murdock*, private Bucks County Penna. Associators; great-grandson of Lewis and Margaret (Campbell) Mackey; great²-grandson of *McDonald Campbell*, private First Somerset County Battalion New Jersey Militia.

CLARENCE C. McKECHNIE, Detroit, Mich. (12383). Son of William E. and Louisa Maria (Kemp) McKechnie; grandson of Joshua and Elizabeth (Kemp) Kemp; great-grandson of Joseph and Mary M. (Stanley) Kemp; great²-grandson of *Frederick Kemp*, Member of Maryland Committee of Observation.

ALLEN B. MORSE, Ionia, Mich. (21720). Son of John Lines and Susan Ann Gardner (Cowles) Morse; grandson of Miner and Sally (May) Morse; great-grandson of *John Morse*, private, Capt. John Harmon's Company Fourth Conn. Battalion.

LEWIS CHUBB ROGERS, Detroit, Mich. (22736). Son of Erwin M. and Jessie (Chubb) Rogers; grandson of Jonathan Frisbie and Harriet (White) Chubb; great-grandson of Samuel and Relief (Frisbie) Chubb; great²-grandson of *Samuel Chubb*, private, Capt. David Batcheller's Company, Col. Ezra Wood's Mass. Regt.

FRANCIS MORTON SESSIONS, Detroit, Mich. (22726). Son of John Q. A. and Andelucia E. (Morton) Sessions; grandson of George and Eunice (Mather) Sessions; great-grandson of *Robert Sessions*, Lieutenant Conn. Militia.

FRANK CHANDLER SIBLEY, Detroit, Mich. (21724). Son of John Adams and Sarah Louise (Chandler) Sibley; grandson of Josiah and Emma Eve (Longstreet) Sibley; great-grandson of Joel and Lois (Wood) Sibley; great²-grandson of *Stephen Sibley*, private, Col. Jonathan Holman's Mass. Regt.

EDWARD WALTON STODDARD, Detroit, Mich. (21710). Son of Oren and Sarah (Gibson) Stoddard; grandson of Sylvester and Sally Stoddard; great-grandson of *Elijah Stoddord*, private, Col. Ira Allen's Vermont Regt.

WILLIAM SHERMAN WIGHTMAN, Detroit, Mich. (21717). Son of Solomon and Martha Jerusha (Dickinson) Wightman; grandson of Oliver Goldsmith and Jerusha (Fuller) Dickinson; great-grandson of *Simeon Dickinson,* drummer, Colonel Woodbridge's Conn. Regt. and on privateer "Mars," pensioned.

DENNY ORLANDO WILEY, Detroit, Mich. (22728). Son of Thomas W. and Rebecca (Richardson) Wiley; grandson of Derastus and Eleanor (Lane) Richardson; great-grandson of Johnathan and Anna (Wright) Lane; great²-grandson of *Azariah Wright,* Captain Vermont Militia.

JOHN DEXTER WILEY, Detroit, Mich. (22729). Son of Thomas W. and Rebecca (Richardson) Wiley; grandson of Derastus and Eleanor (Lane) Richardson; great-grandson of Johnathan and Anna (Wright) Lane; great²-grandson of *Azariah Wright,* Captain Vermont Militia.

PALMER EDWARD WINSLOW, Detroit, Mich. (21723). Son of William and Missouri (Lindsay) Winslow; grandson of Erasmus and Sarah (Palmer) Winslow; great-grandson of Stephen Fielder and Sarah (Weeks) Palmer; great²-grandson of Joseph and Sarah Ruggles (Wild) Palmer; great³-grandson of *Benjamin Palmer,* private Fifth Regt. Conn. Militia.

HERBERT WILLIAM YEMANS, Surgeon, U. S. A., Fort Wayne, Detroit, Mich. (22730). Son of Charles Chester and Mary Herbert (Chamberlin) Yemans; grandson of William and Nancy (Lockwood) Yemans; great-grandson of Elijah and Thena (Carpenter) Yemans; great²-grandson of *Simeon Carpenter,* private, Col. Joseph Marsh's and Col. Peter Olcott's Vermont Regts.

ERASTUS T. YEOMANS, Ionia, Mich. (22732). Son of Sanford and Abigail (Thompson) Yeomans; grandson of Erastus and Phœbe (Arnold) Yeomans; great-grandson of *Job Arnold,* private Rhode Island Troops, pensioned.

MINNESOTA SOCIETY.

FREDERICK ROBERTSON BARNES, Wahpeton, No. Dak. (Minn. 21521). Son of George Byington and Henrietta Amelia (Rich) Barnes; grandson of Alonzo Dean and Louisa (Merriam) Rich; great-grandson of William and Lydia (Wright) Merriam; great²-grandson of *Charles Wright,* Captain Fourth Conn. Regt.

FIELDER MONTGOMERY MAGRUDER BEALL, U. S. Army, Fort Snelling, Minn. (21506). Son of Thomas Birch and Jane Beall (Magruder) Beall; grandson of Edward and Teresa (Barron) Magruder; great-grandson of Haswell and Charity (Beall) Magruder; great²-grandson of *Samuel Magruder, Jr.,* Member of Maryland Committee of Observation.

EARL McMASTER BILL, Minneapolis, Minn. (21510). Son of Fred A. and Clara M. (McMaster) Bill; grandson of Epaphras C. and Betsey Orcott (Davis) Bill; great-grandson of Hezekiah and Sally (Sanborn) Davis; great²-grandson of *Theophilus Sanborn,* Sergeant, Colonel Senter's and Colonel Nichols's Regts. New Hampshire Militia.

CHARLES INGRAHAM BUXTON, Owatuma, Minn. (21518). (Name changed from Furman to Buxton.) Son of Fayette Searls and Mary Frances (Buxton) Furman; grandson of Elisha B. and Almira (Searls) Furman; great-grandson of Abraham and Jerusha (Wood) Searls; great²-grandson of *Gideon Searls, Jr.,* private, Col. Thomas Lee's Vermont Regt.; great³-grandson of *Gideon Searls,* private Vermont Militia.

CHARLES ADDISON CAVENDER, Tacoma, Wash. (Minn. 21514). Son of Abram H. and Elvira H. Cavender; grandson of James and Rachel (Butler) Cavender; great-grandson of *Charles Cavender,* Corporal, Col. Thomas Stickney's Regt. New Hampshire Militia.

WILLIAM WESTFALL CLARK, Pine City, Minn. (21516). Son of James Harvey and Eleanor (Westfall) Clark; grandson of William and Eleanor (Cahill) Clark; great-grandson of *William Clark,* private, Colonel Prescott's and other Mass. Regts., pensioned.

CHARLES LESLIE CONGER, McIntosh, Minn. (21524). Son of William and Mrs. Susan (Wright) (Foote) Conger; grandson of Asher and Chloe (Gilmore) Conger; great-grandson of *Greshom Conger,* private, Col. Ira Allen's Regt. Vermont Militia.

CHARLES WHEELER EDDY, St. Paul, Minn. (21513). Son of Albert Matthewson and Margaret Eloise Eddy; grandson of Russell and Zeruah Eddy; great-grandson of Matthewson and Anna (Russell) Eddy; great²-grandson of *Willard Eddy, private* Second Rhode Island Regt., Col. Christopher Lippitt, privateersman.

WESLEY SHERMAN FOSTER, Milaca, Minn. (21507). Son of Alonzo and Sophia (West) Foster; grandson of Simeon Brackett and Polly (Hill) Foster; great-grandson of *Daniel Forster,* private, Col. Moses Nichols's Regt. New Hampshire Militia.

RICHARD WATSON FREER, Princeton, Minn. (21511). Son of Peter A. and Jane Ann (Garrison) Freer; grandson of Alexander and Catharine (Kip) Freer; great-grandson of *Samuel Freer,* private First Ulster County Regt. New York Militia.

HARVEY LEE GILLETT, Invergrove, Minn. (21512). Son of George and Helen (Barton) Gillette; grandson of Percival and Sarah C. (Paine) Barton; great-grandson of Alfred and Sarah (Collins) Barton; great²-grandson of *Benjamin Collins,* private, Col. Michael Jackson's Mass. Regt.; great-grandson of Josiah and Rebecca (Gray) Paine; great²-grandson of *William Payne,* private, Col. Michael Jackson's Mass. Regt.

GIDEON S. IVES, St. Paul, Minn. (21520). Son of Warren and Louisa Buxton (Ladd) Ives; grandson of John M. and Mary (Thomas) Ives; great-grandson of *Joseph Ives,* private, Col. Benj. Bellows's Regt. New Hampshire Militia.

WALTER B. JORDAN, Jr., Minneapolis, Minn. (23201). Son of Walter Booth and Mary Emily (Leighton) Jordan; grandson of Joseph and Mary (Coe) Leighton; great-grandson of James and Betsy (Quimby) Leighton; great²-grandson of *Tobias Leighton, Jr.,* private, Col. James Scammon's New Hampshire Regt.

FRED CARLOS KINNEY, St. Paul, Minn. (21522). Son of Elisha Richard and Charlotte (Richard) Kinney; grandson of William and Tryplena (Richards) Kinne; great-grandson of Peabody and Elizabeth (Crary) Kinne; great²-grandson of *Ezra Kinne,* Captain Eighth Regt. Conn. Foot.

ROBERT SHEPARD McCOURT, St. Paul, Minn. (21525). Son of D. W. and Lucy (Shepard) McCourt; grandson of George Stevens and Catherine Miranda (Smith) Shepard; great-grandson of Ira and Marcia Miranda Smith; great²-grandson of Jacob and Sarah (Ladd) Smith; great³-grandson of *John Ladd,* signer of "The Association" at Kingston, New Hampshire.

EDWARD LANG PRESCOTT, Seattle, Wash. (Minn. 21519). Son of De Witt Clinton and Sarah (Holgate) Prescott; grandson of Daniel Kimball and Lorenda (Lang) Prescott; great-grandson of Jeremiah and Molly (Sanborn) Prescott; great²-grandson of *Jeremiah Prescott,* Captain New Hampshire Militia.

JOSEPH AUGUSTUS ROSS, Princeton, Minn. (21515). Son of Ezekiel L. and Maria (Johnson) Ross; grandson of Joseph R. and Nancy (Linscott) Ross; great-grandson of *Benjamin Ross,* private Third Essex County Regt. Mass. Militia.

CHARLES SUMNER SIMPSON, Hibbing, Minn. (21523). Son of Daniel Fillmore and Sylvira (Shaw) Simpson; grandson of William and Abigail (Eastman) Simpson; great-grandson of *Benjamin Simpson,* private, Colonel Stickney's New Hampshire Regt.

PERCY MORGAN SWAIN, Stillwater, Minn. (21508). Son of David M. and Juliana (Ainsworth) Swain; grandson of Francis Tolman and Juliana (Johnston) Ainsworth; great-grandson of James and Juliana Johnston; great²-grandson of *Archabell Johnston,* Captain First Dutchess County Regt. New York Militia.

VERNE LEE SWAIN, Peoria, Ill. (Minn. 21509). Son of David M. and Juliana (Ainsworth) Swain; grandson of Francis Tolman and Juliana (Johnston) Ainsworth; great-grandson of James and Juliana Johnston; great²-grandson of *Archabell Johnston,* Captain First Dutchess County Regt. New York Militia.

MISSISSIPPI SOCIETY.

ARTHUR CAMPBELL CROWDER, Jackson, Miss. (21246). Son of John Meredith and Mary Boardman (Jones) Crowder; grandson of Silas B. and Martha B. (Thomas) Jones; great-grandson of Charles Word and Elizabeth (Daniel) Jones; great²-grandson of *Campbell Daniel,* private Virginia State Troops, pensioned.

JOHN FOSTER FRIERSON, Port Gibson, Miss. (23226). Son of William Vincent and Florence (Foster) Frierson, Jr.; grandson of William Vincent and Adaline (Fulton) Frierson; great-grandson of Samuel and Sarah (Wilson) Frierson; great²-grandson of *William Frierson,* Captain South Carolina Militia.

JAMES EVERETT LEA, Jr., Huron, Miss. (21244). Son of James E. and Maggie (Tate) Lea; grandson of James E. and Frances (Powell) Lea; great-grandson of Zachariah and Sabrina Muse (Clay) Lea; great²-grandson of Luke and Elizabeth (Wilson) Lea; great³-grandson of *James Lea, Jr.,* private Orange County North Carolina Militia.

CHARLES ROBERTS PETTIS, Ellisville, Miss. (21248). Son of William Spencer and Ada C. Pettis; grandson of William Davis and Elizabeth Narcissa (Frierson) Pettis; great-grandson of Thomas James and Annie Witherspoon (Blakeley) Frierson; great²-grandson of *Robert Frierson,* private South Carolina Militia, known as Kingstree Company, commanded by Captain Monzon.

WILLIAM SPENCER PETTIS, Ellisville, Miss. (21247). Son of William Davis and Elizabeth Narcissa (Frierson) Pettis; grandson of Thomas James and Annie Witherspoon (Blakeley) Frierson; great²-grandson of *Robert Frierson,* private South Carolina Militia, known as Kingstree Company, commanded by Captain Monzon.

WILLIAM SPENCER PETTIS, Jr., Middlesboro, Ky. (Miss. 21250). Son of William Spencer and Ada C. (Roberts) Pettis; grandson of Charles and Margaret (McKee) Roberts; great-grandson of John and Orinda (Fuller) McKee; great-grandson of Marvin and Margaret (Harmon) Fuller; great-grandson of *Peter Fuller,* Corporal, Col. Timothy Donaldson's Mass. Regt.

WILLIAM ARTHUR PIERCE, Lexington, Miss. (21245). Son of Ralph and Sarah (White) Pierce; grandson of John Coffin and Susan (Mattoon) White; great-grandson of Luther and Joanna White; great²-grandson of *David White,* Lieutenant Mass. Militia in Expedition to Canada in 1776.

WILLIAM RUSSELL SAUNDERS WILBURN, Winona, Miss. (21249). Son of Thomas L. and Chloe Bennette (Saunders) Wilbourn; grandson of William Russell and Anne Heartgraves (Mills) Saunders; great-grandson of Hubbard and Chloe (Russell) Saunders; great²-grandson of *William Russell,* Colonel Thirteenth Virginia Regt.

MISSOURI SOCIETY.

STEPHEN ERNEST CHUBBUCK, St. Louis, Mo. (20706). Son of Stephen Lewis and Nellie (Mill) Chubbuck; grandson of Stephen and Lucy (Spaulding) Chubbuck; great-grandson of Timothy and Sarah (Faunce) Chubbuck; great²-grandson of *Timothy Chubbuck,* private, Wareham Company Mass. Minute Men, April 19, 1775.

ADDISON LYMAN DAY, St. Louis, Mo. (20705). Son of Addison and Margaret (Smith) Day; grandson of Plin and Deborah (Butt) Day; great-grandson of *Sherebiah Butt,* Captain Twenty-first Regt. Conn. Militia.

GEORGE ZOLLINGER, St. Louis, Mo. (20707). Son of Augustus L. and Louise (Mayfield) Zollinger; grandson of George and Catherine (Meyers) Zollinger; great-grandson of *Peter Zollinger,* Captain and Wagon Master General York County Penna. Militia.

MONTANA SOCIETY.

LESLIE BERRY SULGROVE, Helena, Mont. (18159). Son of Leslie and Sophia C. (Dithmer) Sulgrove; grandson of Berry Robinson and Mary Moore (Jameson) Sulgrove; great-grandson of Thomas and Sally (Humphreys) Jameson; great²-grandson of *Thomas Jameson,* private, Company II, General Morgan's Virginia Brigade, pensioned.

NEBRASKA SOCIETY.

DEAN WARREN FAY, Blue Hill, Nebr. (21411). Son of Joseph Washington and Nancy Percival (Lincoln) Fay; grandson of Warren and Freelove Matilda (Palmer) Fay; great-grandson of Ruben and Hepsibah (Kidder) Fay; great²-grandson of *Joseph Fay,* Ensign, Capt. John Greggs's Company Third New Hampshire Regt.

McMILLAN JONES, Omaha, Nebr. (21413). Son of Owen S. and Dollie (Ten Brook) Jones; grandson of John and Jane (Alexander) Ten Brook; great-grandson of Andrew and Eleanor (Corney) Ten Brook; great²-grandson of *John Ten Brook,* Lieutenant-Colonel Fourth Battalion Hunterdon County New Jersey Militia.

CHARLES K. MORSE, Auburn, Nebr. (21412). Son of Samuel Francis Smith and Mary Elizabeth (Kennedy) Morse; grandson of Horace Truworthy and Louisa (White) Morse; great-grandson of David and Rebecca (White) Morse; great²-grandson of *Jesse Morse,* Sergeant, Capt. Job Knapp's Company Mass. Militia; grandson of John Gray and Mary Clark (Vance) Kennedy; great-grandson of Andrew and Elizabeth (Veech) Vance; great²-grandson of William and Elizabeth Kaufman (Clark) Veech; great³-grandson of *Thomas Clark,* Captain Essex County New Jersey Militia.

ALMENGER C. ROWELL, St. Paul, Nebr. (21409). Son of William and Mary E. (Bartlett) Rowell; grandson of Rice and Sallie (Dunning) Rowell; great-grandson of *William Rowell,* private, Col. John Stark's Regt. New Hampshire Militia.

JESSE GILBERT STUBBS, Omaha, Nebr. (21408). Son of John J. and Gertrude Irene (Gear) Stubbs; grandson of Ezekiel Gilbert and Mary Yardley (How) Gear; great-grandson of Thomas Yardley and Elizabeth (Woodruff) How; great²-grandson of *Elias Woodruff,* Commissary of Military Stores, Commissary-General's Department, New Jersey Militia.

HARRY L. SWAN, Omaha, Nebr. (21407). Son of Samuel P. and Calista E. (Crandal) Swan; grandson of Justus and Lydia (Holt) Crandal; great-grandson of *Jotham Holt,* private, Col. John Brooks's Mass. Regt.; grandson of Samuel and Harriet (Smith) Swan; great-grandson of William and Rebecca (Bissell) Smith; great²-grandson of *Benjamin Bissell,* Sergeant Fourth Company, Colonel Bradley's Conn. Regt.; great³-grandson of *Zebulon Bissell,* private, Captain Beebe's Company, Colonel Bradley's Conn. Regt.

NEVADA SOCIETY.

ARTHUR PARKER LEWIS, Reno, Nev. (22171). Son of James Henry and Emeline (Carmicheal) Lewis; grandson of Normand and Lucy (Kent) Lewis; great-grandson of James and Desire (Remington) Lewis; great²-grandson of *John Lewis,* private, Captain Langdon's Company, Col. H. Jackson's Mass. Regt.

RALPH FRANKLIN MEEKS, Reno, Nev. (22173). Son of B. F. and Anna (Chase) Meeks; grandson of William and Sarah (Tuper) Chase; great-grandson of Charles and Rebecca (Cather) Chase; great²-grandson of Abraham and Elizabeth (Cracraft) Chase; great³-grandson of *Charles Cracraft,* Major under General George Rogers Clark in 1781.

GEORGE W. BROWNELL SANFORD, Reno, Nev. (22172). Son of Frank L. and Helen Augusta (Brownell) Sanford; grandson of George Washington and Joanna (Gough) Brownell; great-grandson of Ezra and Nancy (Dow) Brownell; great-grandson of Ezra and Hope (Borden) Brownell; great³-grandson of *George Brownell,* Sergeant, Col. Timothy Danielson's Regt. Mass. Militia.

NEW HAMPSHIRE SOCIETY.

RICHARD BRADLEY BARTLETT, Pittsfield, N. H. (22109). Son of Asa W. and Finette A. (Doe) Bartlett; grandson of John and Abigal (Davis) Doe; great-grandson of Amos and Nancy (Libby) Doe; great²-grandson of *Samuel Libby,* private, Col. Pierce Long's and other New Hampshire Regts., privateersman, pensioned.

WARREN TRACY BILLINGS, Dover, N. H. (22107). Son of Emilius G. and Lillieore (Tracy) Billings; grandson of Henry R. and Mary Ann (Richardson) Tracy; great-grandson of Lathrop and Mary (Hatch) Richardson; great²-grandson of *Dan Hatch,* Sergeant Third Battalion Wadsworth's Conn. Brigade, 1776, prisoner in New York "Sugar House" and "Hulks," widow pensioned.

CHARLES RUSSELL DENNING, Concord, N. H. (22112). Son of Job Cushman and Harriet L. (Berry) Denning; grandson of Samuel and Marian (Mitchell) Denning; great-grandson of George and Eleuel (Rollins) Denning; great²-grandson of *Samuel Dennen, Denning,* seaman Mass. privateer service, prisoner; grandson of Amos and Mary (Curtis) Berry; great-grandson of William and Olive (Stubbs) Curtis; great²-grandson of *William Curtis,* Sergeant, Captain North's Company Mass. Militia.

CHARLES AMOS DOE, Pittsfield, N. H. (22110). Son of John and Abigal (Davis) Doe; grandson of Amos and Nancy (Libby) Doe; great-grandson of *Samuel Libby,* private, Col. Pierce Long's and other New Hampshire Regts., privateersman, pensioned.

WILLIAM HENRY KNOX, Madbury, N. H. (22113). Son of William P. and Carrie (Porter) Knox; grandson of Moses Edward and Abigail Knox; great-grandson of John and Nancy (Cushman) Knox; great²-grandson of Daniel and Abigail (Thomas) Knox; great³-grandson of *John Knox,* private, Col. Daniel Moore's New Hampshire Regt.

THOMAS JEFFERSON LATON NUTT, Manchester, N. H. (22111). Son of George Washington and Lucy Rebecca (Senter) Nutt; grandson of Benjamin and Sophia (Hale) Nutt; great-grandson of William and Mary (Brewster) Nutt; great²-grandson of Samuel and Eleyath (Dickey) Nutt; great³-grandson of *William Nutt,* private, Colonel Whitcomb's New Hampshire Regt., pensioned.

HARRY K. TORREY, Newfields, N. H. (22103). Son of John and Adelaide Moore (Anderson) Torrey; grandson of John and Elizabeth Robbins (Pettengill) Torrey; great-grandson of Cutting and Olive (Smith) Pettengill; great²-grandson of *John Smith,* seaman on U. S. S. "Dalton" and "Alliance" under John Paul Jones.

GEORGE CLARENCE WILKINS, Manchester, N. H. (22108). Son of Charles Taylor and Emma A. (Stewart) Wilkins; grandson of Rodney and Harriett Lewis (Ellinwood) Wilkins; great-grandson of Hezekiah and Margaret (Armor) Wilkins; great²-grandson of *Bray Wilkins,* Sergeant Twenty-seventh Mass. Regt.; great-grandson of David and Alice (Aiken) Ellinwood; great²-grandson of *Thomas Aiken,* private, Capt. Ninian Aiken's Company of Deering, N. H.

CHARLES PARKER WOODWORTH, Concord, N. H. (22104). Son of Albert Bingham and Mary (Parker) Woodworth; grandson of George and Louisa (Hovey) Woodworth; great-grandson of *Salvenus Woodworth,* private Third Conn. Regt., Col. Israel Putnam.

EDWARD KNOWLTON WOODWORTH, Concord, N. H. (22105). Son of Albert Bingham and Mary (Parker) Woodworth; grandson of George and Louisa (Hovey) Woodworth; great-grandson of *Salvenus Woodworth,* private Third Conn. Regt., Col. Israel Putnam.

JOHN WHITON WOODWORTH, Concord, N. H. (22106). Son of Edward Baker and Helen (Whiton) Woodworth; grandson of George and Louisa (Hovey) Woodworth; great-grandson of *Salvenus Woodworth,* private Third Conn. Regt., Col. Israel Putnam.

NEW JERSEY SOCIETY.

WILLIAM ALEXANDER ADAIR, Elizabeth, N. J. (22320). Son of William Alexander and Mary (Irwin) Adair; grandson of John and Hannah (Taylor) Irwin; great-grandson of *John Irwin,* Lieutenant Second Penna. Regt., pensioned.

CORTLANDT RADLEY BAKER, East Orange, N. J. (22690). Son of Frederick L. and Sarah M. Baker; grandson of Cortlandt Radley and Matilda F. (Losey) Baker; great-grandson of Henry and Mary Ann S. (Radley) Baker; great^2-grandson of *Daniel Baker,* Sergeant First Essex County Regt. New Jersey Militia.

HOBART LEWIS BENEDICT, Union, N. J. (22312). Son of Joshua Purdy and Phebe Elizabeth (Sayre) Benedict; grandson of James Lawrence and Christiana Grant (Purdy) Benedict; great-grandson of Joseph and Betsey (Brinkerhoff) Benedict; great^2-grandson of Timothy and Phœbe (Rockwell) Benedict; great^3-grandson of *Joseph Benedict,* Lieutenant-Colonel Westchester County Associated Exempts New York Militia; grandson of Daniel Roff and Abigail (Faitoute) Sayre; great-grandson of *Daniel Sayre,* private Essex County New Jersey Militia.

CHARLES GREY BLISS, Westfield, N. J. (22307). Son of William H. and Mary Francis (Fickett) Bliss; grandson of John and Sarah Grey (Barnes) Bliss; great-grandson of *Abraham Bliss,* Quartermaster Second Regt. Conn. Light Horse.

ELIAS HERBERT BONNELL, South Orange, N. J. (22321). Son of David Oliver and Nancy Maxwell (Winans) Bonnel; grandson of Oliver and Phebe Robinson (Winans) Bonnel; great-grandson of Joshua and Sarah (Robinson) Winans; great^2-grandson of *Benjamin Winans,* Captain First Essex County Regt. New Jersey Militia.

JAMES MALCOLM BONSALL, Morristown, N. J. (22682). Son of James M. and Alida (Beach) Bonsall; grandson of Columbus and Susan E. (Halsey) Beach; great-grandson of Chilion and Cornelia (De Camp) Beach; great^2-grandson of Joseph F. and Jane F. (Tuttle) De Camp; great^3-grandson of *Moses* (and Jane Ford) *Tuttle,* Member of Committee of Safety for Pequannoc Township, N. J.; great-grandson of Samuel B. and Sarah Dubois (Jackson) Halsey; great^2-grandson of *Abraham* (and Nancy Beach) *Halsey,* private New Jersey Militia; great^3-grandson of *Enoch Beach,* private New Jersey Militia; great^2-grandson of Joseph and Elizabeth Platt (Ogden) Jackson; great^3-grandson of *Stephen Jackson,* Member of Committee of Safety of Hanover Township, N. J., Captain Morris County Militia; great^4-grandson of *Jacob Ford,* Member of Committee of Observation for Morris County, N. J.

JOHN HALSEY BONSALL, Morristown, N. J. (22683). Son of James M. and Alida (Beach) Bonsall; grandson of Columbus and Susan E. (Halsey) Beach; great-grandson of Chilion and Cornelia (De Camp) Beach; great^2-grandson of

Joseph F. and Jane F. (Tuttle) De Camp; great^3-grandson of *Moses* (and Jane Ford) *Tuttle,* Member of Committee of Safety for Pequannoc Township, N. J.; great-grandson of Samuel B. and Sarah Dubois (Jackson) Halsey; great^2-grandson of *Abraham* (and Nancy Beach) *Halsey,* private New Jersey Militia; great^3-grandson of *Enoch Beach,* private New Jersey Militia; great^2-grandson of Joseph and Elizabeth Platt (Ogden) Jackson; great^3-grandson of *Stephen Jackson,* Member of Committee of Safety of Hanover Township, N. J., Captain Morris County Militia; great^4-grandson of *Jacob Ford,* Member of Committee of Observation for Morris County, N. J.

CHARLES FRANCIS BORDEN, Shrewsbury, N. J. (22680). Son of Abram Holmes and Emily Julia (Bunn) Borden; grandson of Francis and Hannah Lambert (Holmes) Borden; great-grandson of Abraham and Jerusha (Lambert) Holmes; great^2-grandson of John and Hannah (Little, widow Dennis) Lambert; great^3-grandson of *John Little,* Member of Committee of Observation of Shrewsbury, N. J.; great^2-grandson of Jacob and Annie (Russel) Holmes; great^3-grandson of *Josiah Holmes,* Member of New Jersey Provincial Convention and of Committee of Observation of Shrewsbury.

JAMES HAMILTON BRAINARD, Navesink, N. J. (22317). Son of James Hamilton and Eliza Jane Brainard; grandson of Abijah and Martha (Arnold) Brainard; great-grandson of *Jabez Arnold,* private Second Conn. Regt., Col. Joseph Spencer.

MARION HAMILTON BRAINARD, Navesink, N. J. (22318). Son of James Hamilton and Ella (Guian) Brainard; grandson of James Hamilton and Eliza Jane Brainard; great-grandson of Abija and Martha (Arnold) Brainard; great^2-grandson of *Jabez Arnold,* private Second Conn. Regt., Col. Joseph Spencer.

ANDREW WATSON BRAY, Newark, N. J. (6009). Supplemental. Son of Andrew Watson and Sarah (Thompson) Bray; grandson of John T. and Euphemia (Armstrong) Bray; great-grandson of *William Armstrong,* Ensign, Capt. Edward Clifford's Company First Sussex County Regt. New Jersey Militia.

MONROE BUCKLEY, Overbrook, Pa. (N. J. 22302). Son of James Monroe and Sarah Isabella Staples (French) Buckley; grandson of John and Abby Lonsdale (Monroe) Buckley; great-grandson of Clayton and Mary (Yorke) Monroe; great^2-grandson of David and Mary (Loveland) Monroe; great^3-grandson of Charles and Mary (Gleason) Loveland; great^4-grandson of *Charles Loveland,* private, minute man Burlington County New Jersey Militia.

CHARLES F. BURROUGHS, East Orange, N. J. (22691). Son of Charles and Catherine (Murphy) Burroughs; grandson of John Stevens and Mary (Cannon) Burroughs; great-grandson of Enoch and Phebe (Smith) Burroughs; great^2-grandson of *John Burroughs,* Sergeant First Hunterdon Regt. New Jersey Militia and Continental service, pensioned.

GEORGE BARBER CALLEN, Newark, N. J. (22306). Son of Josiah and Susan (Price) Callen; grandson of *Tenrub Price,* private Fourth Battalion New Jersey Volunteers.

GEORGE WHEELER CARNRICK, East Orange, N. J. (22685). (Name changed from Wheeler.) Son of Edmund and Maryette (Carnrick) Wheeler; grandson of George and Mahala (Searles) Carnrick; great-grandson of George and Mary (Peck) Carnrick; great^2-grandson of *Ichabod Peck, Jr.,* private, Col. Joseph Read's Continental Regt. and Colonel Topham's Rhode Island Regt., pensioned.

MILLARD CARNRICK, East Orange, N. J. (22686). (Name changed from Wheeler.) Son of Edmund and Maryette (Carnrick) Wheeler; grandson of George and Mahala (Searles) Carnrick; great-grandson of George and Mary (Peck) Carnrick; great^2-grandson of *Ichabod Peck, Jr.,* private, Col. Joseph Read's Continental Regt. and Colonel Topham's Rhode Island Regt.

LOUIS BUCKMASTER CHANDLER, Elizabeth, N. J. (22323). Son of Walter and Louise (Buckmaster) Chandler; grandson of William and Catherine (Crane) Chandler; great-grandson of Walter S. and Margaret (Rogers) Chandler; great²-grandson of *John Rogers,* Major of Lower Battalion of Prince George County, Maryland, Member of Continental Congress Dec., 1775, to Aug. 1, 1776, voted for Declaration of Independence, July 4, 1776.

ARTHUR HALE CONOVER, Newark, N. J. (22679). Son of Stephen and Lucy Turner (Hale) Conover; grandson of David and Lucy Sargent (Turner) Hale; great-grandson of John and Lucy (Sargent) Turner; great²-grandson of *Paul Dudley Sargent,* Colonel Sixteenth Mass. Regt.

JOHN HALE CONOVER, Newark, N. J. (22684). Son of Arthur Hale and Mary Anna (Morehouse) Conover; grandson of Stephen and Lucy Turner (Hale) Conover; great-grandson of David and Lucy Sargent (Turner) Hale; great²-grandson of John and Lucy (Sargent) Turner; great³-grandson of *Paul Dudley Sargent,* Colonel Sixteenth Mass. Regt.

VICTOR E. DOWNER, Rutherford, N. J. (22681). Son of Edgar J. and Sarah Elizabeth (Williams) Downer; grandson of John J. and Hanah (Palmateer) Downer; great-grandson of Obediah L. and Rachel (Yelverton) Downer; great²-grandson of *John Downer,* minute man or sharpshooter Vermont Militia.

WALTER EVANS EDGE, Atlantic City, N. J. (22316). Son of William and Mary E. (Evans) Edge; grandson of Andrew W. and Elizabeth (Jeffries) Evans; great-grandson of James and Mary R. (Echart) Jeffries; great²-grandson of John and Ann (Wilson) Jeffries; great³-grandson of *Joseph Jeffries,* Colonel Fifth York County Battalion Penna. Militia.

RAYMOND BLAINE FOSDICK, New York, N. Y. (N. J. 21996). Son of Frank Sheldon and Annie I. Fosdick; grandson of John Spencer and Mary E. Fosdick; great-grandson of Solomon and Anna (Thorne) Fosdick; great²-grandson of *Samuel Fosdick,* private Third and Fourth Regts. New York Line.

THEODORE HART FREELAND, East Orange, N. J. (22000). Son of David Stansbury and Hannah Niles (Miller) Freeland; grandson of William and Alice (Niles) Miller; great-grandson of *William Niles,* private, Capt. Jeremiah Fisher's Company Philadelphia Militia.

FREDERIC MILLS GEER, East Orange, N. J. (22303). Son of Darius and Charry (Mills) Geer; grandson of *Samuel Frederic Mills,* Corporal Conn. Militia, pensioned.

REYNOLD THOMAS HALL, U. S. Navy (N. J. 6106). Supplemental. Son of Edward Smyth and Katherine Piercy (Romney) Hall; grandson of Robert Shields and Christiana (Crockett) Hall; great-grandson of Samuel and Maria (Roth) Crockett; great²-grandson of *William* (and Christiana Behringer) *Roth,* Lieutenant of Chasseurs, Count Pulaski's Legion; great³-grandson of *Christopher Behringer,* private, Capt. James Hood's Company Philadelphia Militia.

ALFRED STARR HAMILTON, Montclair, N. J. (22310). Son of Robert M. and Kate Ball (Downer) Hamilton; grandson of Silas B. and Isabella M. Hamilton; great-grandson of Paul and Anna (Stevens) Hamilton; great²-grandson of *Ezra Stevens* (*Stephens*), Lieutenant Sixth Company Fifth Regt. Conn. Infantry.

CHARLES OSCAR HENNION, East Orange, N. J. (21998). Son of David and Elizabeth (Maria) Hennion; grandson of Garrett and Sarah Hennion; great-grandson of *Cornelius Hennion,* First Lieutenant New Jersey Continental Line.

GEORGE CAMPBELL HUBBARD, Montclair, N. J. (22687). Son of C. Horace and Carrie (Campbell) Hubbard; grandson of Calvin and Betsey (Woodberry) Hubbard; great-grandson of Calvin and Ruth (Meacham) Hubbard; great²-grandson of *George Hubbard,* Lieutenant, Colonel Webb's Regt. Conn. Militia.

DAVID BRAINARD HUNT, Montclair, N. J. (22319). Son of David Brainard and Mary Ann (Gaylord) Hunt; grandson of Martin and Sylvia (Davis) Gaylord; great-grandson of *Joseph Davis, Sr.,* private, Col. Dickenson's Mass. Regt.; great^2-grandson of *Edward Davis, Jr.,* Member of Mass. House of Representatives, private Mass. Militia.

EDWARD McKINNEY HUNT, Montclair, N. J. (22676). Son of David Brainard and Ida (McKinney) Hunt; grandson of David Brainard and Mary Ann (Gaylord) Hunt; great-grandson of Martin and Sylvia (Davis) Gaylord; great^2-grandson of *Joseph Davis,* private, Colonel Dickenson's Mass. Regt.; great^3-grandson of *Edward Davis, Jr.,* private, Captain Smith's Company Mass. Militia, April 19, 1775, Member of Mass. Provincial Congress.

ALFRED BAKER JOHNSON, Orange, N. J. (6122). Supplementals. Son of Theo F. and Annie E. (Vail) Johnson; grandson of Alfred and Sarah (Baker) Johnson; great-grandson of Jonathan Baker; great^2-grandson of Lewis and Elizabeth (Robinson) Baker; great^3-grandson of *Daniel Baker,* Ensign First Essex County Regt. New Jersey Militia; grandson of William Penn and Sarah (Lock) Vail; great-grandson of John and Rachael (Armstrong) Lock; great^2-grandson of George and Sarah (Hunt) Armstrong; great^3-grandson of *Richard Hunt,* private Sussex County New Jersey Militia.

CHARLES SYMMES KIGGINS, Elizabeth, N. J. (6142). Supplemental. Son of Charles Andrew and Abigail Clark (Crane) Kiggins; grandson of Nathaniel and Sarah (Miller) Crane; great-grandson of *Moses Miller,* private First Essex County Regt. New Jersey Militia.

ETHELBERT TRACY LANTERMAN, East Orange, N. J. (22688). Son of Wm. G. and Jane Hall (Adams) Lanterman; grandson of Isaiah and Elizabeth (Hall) Adams; great-grandson of Levi and Margaret (Cole) Hall; great^2-grandson of *Daniel Cole,* private Dutchess County New York Militia; great^3-grandson of *Elisha Cole,* private Dutchess County New York Militia.

GEORGE OSCAR LEAVITT, East Orange, N. J. (22678). Son of William P. and Caroline Zibiah (Fisher) Leavitt; grandson of Joseph L. and Zibiah Dolbear (Blake) Fisher; great-grandson of Nathaniel and Ann (Robinson) Blake; great^2-grandson of *Lemuel Robinson,* Colonel of Suffolk and York County Mass. Regts.

RAYMOND NEWMAN LOCKWOOD, East Orange, N. J. (22308). Son of Adolphus Newman and Amelia R. (Clare) Lockwood; grandson of Edmund S. and Mary A. (Newman) Lockwood; great-grandson of Harvey and Elizabeth P. (Raymond) Newman; great^2-grandson of *Enoch Raymond,* private Second Westchester County Regt. New York Militia.

WILLIAM ALEXANDER MACY, Montclair, N. J. (22322). Son of Alexander W. and Mary (Jessup) Macy; grandson of William and Ruth (Halsey) Jessup; great-grandson of *Stephen Halsey,* Surgeon, Col. Samuel Drake's Regt. New York Militia.

DEWITT CLINTON MATTHEWS, Orange, N. J. (22304). Son of John Harrison and Louisa C. (Smith) Matthews, Jr.; grandson of John Harrison and Elima (Meeker) Matthews; great-grandson of Joseph and Sarah (Harrison) Matthews; great^2-grandson of *William Matthews,* private, Capt. Cornelius Williams's Company Second Essex County Regt. New Jersey Militia.

CHARLES WILLIAM NAULTY, Jr., Perth Amboy, N. J. (21982). Supplemental. Son of Charles W. and Sarah (Steel) Naulty; grandson of Thomas and Mary (Jordan) Naulty; great-grandson of Patrick and Susanna (Evans) Jordan; great^2-grandson of *Abel Evans,* private First Regt. Penna. Line.

WILLIAM STANLEY NAULTY, Newark, N. J. (14600). Supplemental. Son of William Hansel and Genevieve (Arrington) Naulty; grandson of Thomas and Mary (Jordan) Naulty; great-grandson of Patrick and Susanna (Evans) Jordan; great^2-grandson of *Abel Evans,* private First Regt. Penna. Line.

FREDERICK NICHOLS NIXON, Westfield, N. J. (22305). Son of George and Sarah (Austin) Nixon; grandson of Joseph and Nancy (Weston) Nixon; great-grandson of *John Nixon,* Colonel Fourth Mass. Continental Infantry and Brigadier-General Continental Army.

GEORGE TOWNLEY PARROT, Elizabeth, N. J. (115). Supplementals. Son of Abraham and Sarah Ann (Burrows) Parrot; grandson of Waters and Margaret Williston (Wood) Burrows; great-grandson of *Daniel S. Wood,* Captain First Essex County Regt. of Foot New Jersey Militia; great-grandson of *Waters Burrows,* private Essex County New Jersey Militia; grandson of Squier and Martha (Townley) Parrot; great-grandson of David and Mary (Tucker) Townley; great²-grandson of *George Townley,* private Essex County New Jersey Militia and Light Horse.

RAYMOND TOWNLEY PARROT, Elizabeth, N. J. (21965). Supplementals. Son of George Townley and Ella Baker (Tichenor) Parrot; grandson of Abraham and Sarah Ann (Burrows) Parrot; great-grandson of Waters and Margaret Williston (Wood) Burrows; great²-grandson of *Daniel S. Wood,* Captain First Essex County Regt. of Foot New Jersey Militia; great-grandson of Squier and Martha (Townley) Parrot; great²-grandson of David and Mary (Tucker) Townley; great³-grandson of *George Townley,* private Essex County New Jersey Militia and Light Horse; great²-grandson of *Waters Burrows,* private Essex County New Jersey Militia; grandson of Celim and Helen Maria (Taft) Tichenor; great-grandson of Samuel and Gertrude (King) Taft; great²-grandson of John W. and Magdalene (Spear) King; great³-grandson of *Johannes Spear,* recognized patriot.

CHARLES RICHARDSON PRATT, Montclair, N. J. (22325). Son of John C. and Mary Ann (Richardson) Pratt; grandson of Alfred and Rebecca Richardson; great-grandson of *Ezekiel Richardson,* private, Capt. John Banister's Company, Col. Job Cushing's Mass. Regt.

LUTHER EDMUNDS PRICE, Montclair, N. J. (21997). Son of Nathan Cozens and Roxanna H. (Edmunds) Price; grandson of William and Mary C. (Abell) Price; great-grandson of Edward and Sarah (Cozens) Price; great²-grandson of *William Price,* Captain Third Gloucester County Battalion New Jersey Militia.

BENJAMIN FRANKLIN QUACKINBUSH, East Orange, N. J. (21999). Son of David and Teresa (McCarthy) Quackinbush; grandson of Benjamin and Phœbe (Harriott) Quackinbush; great-grandson of *James Quackinbush,* Sergeant, Col. Gilbert Cooper's Orange County Regt. New York Militia; great²-grandson of *Reynier Quackinbush,* Captain Orange County New York Militia, Member of New York Provincial Congress and Committee of Safety.

GEORGE HUBERT RICHARDS, Orange, N. J. (11549). Supplemental. Son of George Washington and Lydia Amelia (Doland) Richards; grandson of Cyrus George and Hannah Smith (Force) Richards; great-grandson of Thomas and Sarah (Sayre) Richards; great²-grandson of *Ephraim Sayre,* private Essex County New Jersey Militia.

CHARLES KEEN SEAMAN, Perth Amboy, N. J. (22689). Son of Anthony and Ann (Hadden) Seaman; grandson of Jacob and Sally (Ayers) Hadden; great-grandson of Thomas and Mary (Baker) Hadden, Jr.; great²-grandson of *Thomas Hadden, 2d,* Lieutenant-Colonel First Middlesex County Regt. New Jersey Militia.

WILLIAM E. SHAFER, Newark, N. J. (21976). Supplementals. Son of Joseph H. and Julia R. (Ely) Shafer; grandson of Peter B. and Amelia L. (Fairchild) Shafer; great-grandson of *Isaac* (and Martha Linn) *Shafer,* Captain and Conductor of Team Brigade Sussex County New Jersey Militia; great²-grandson of *Caspar Shafer,* Member of Committee of Safety of Sussex County, New Jersey, Member of New Jersey Provincial Congress; great²-grandson of *Joseph Linn,* Adjutant Second Regiment Sussex County New Jersey Militia.

GEORGE WASHINGTON SMITH, Passaic, N. J. (22311). Son of Samuel and Elenor (Vannatta) Smith; grandson of Luke and Mary (McCracken) Smith; great-grandson of *Samuel Smith,* Quartermaster Sergeant First Regt. New Jersey Militia.

DANIEL DU BOIS SMOCK, Red Bank, N. J. (21995). Son of Daniel Polhemus and Sarah Jane (Du Bois) Smock; grandson of Aaron and Sarah C. (Schenck) Smock; great-grandson of Hendrick and Sarah (Lane) Smock; great²-grandson of *John Smock,* Colonel First New Jersey Continental Regt.

HENRY HERTEL TRUMAN, Orange, N. J. (22692). Son of Daniel Henry and Cordelia (Mead) Truman; grandson of Shadrach F. and Elizabeth (Waite) Mead; great-grandson of Titus and Eunice (Hobby) Mead; great²-grandson of *Titus Mead,* private Ninth Regt. Conn. Militia.

JOHN ALBERT VAN HORN, Jersey City, N. J. (22313). Son of John Albert and Julia (Soule) Van Horn; grandson of Daniel E. and Eliza P. (Nooney) Soule; great-grandson of George and Electra (Phelps) Nooney; great²-grandson of *James Nooney,* Sergeant, Capt. Richard Abbe's Company Conn. Militia.

WILLIAM STITES WADE, South Orange, N. J. (22677). Son of Uzal N. and Mary A. (Morehouse) Wade; grandson of Benjamin and Abigail (Baldwin) Morehouse; great-grandson of *Benjamin Morehouse,* private, Capt. Josiah Pierson's Company Second Essex County Regt. New Jersey State Troops.

CHARLES CONVERSE WEST, Montclair, N. J. (22301). Son of William Gordon and Mary (Cooke) West; grandson of Royal and Roxanna (Hamlin) West; great-grandson of William and Lucy (Kirby) Hamlin; great²-grandson of *William Hamlin,* private, Capt. Samuel Comstock's Company, Col. Heman Swift's Regt. Conn. Line.

ORION LAVELLE YEOMANS, West Orange, N. J. (22314). Son of Reuben P. and Augusta (Dederick) Yeomans; grandson of Samuel and Rebecca (Collins) Yeomans; great-grandson of *Samuel Yeomans,* private Second Orange County Regt. New York Militia.

NEW MEXICO SOCIETY.

GEORGE RUFUS CRAIG, Albuquerque, New Mex. (21024). Son of Franklin Burnett and Ida E. (Gilsen) Craig; grandson of Obadiah B. and Arvilla (Fuller) Craig; great-grandson of Benjamin and Naomi (Burton) Fuller; great²-grandson of *Enoch Fuller,* private, Captain Taylor's Company New Hampshire Militia.

CHARLES WILLIAM FAIRFIELD, Santa Fe, New Mex. (21022). Son of Jason Williams and Margaret Forbes (Smith) Fairfield, Jr.; grandson of Jason Williams and Hannah Dana (Chandler) Fairfield; great-grandson of Charles and Hannah (Cleveland) Chandler; great²-grandson of *Solomon Cleaveland,* private, Capt. Asa Bacon's Company Sixth Battalion Wadsworth's Conn. Brigade.

HENRY FRANKLIN JACOBY, Roswell, New Mex. (14936). Supplemental. Son of Samuel Rush and Julia A. (Ball) Jacoby; grandson of Henry and Julia Ann (Clarke) Jacoby; great-grandson of John and Eleanor (Greene) Clarke; great²-grandson of *John Greene,* Lieutenant Virginia Line.

BERT GEER PHILLIPS, Taos, New Mex. (21019). Son of William J. and Elizabeth (Jessup) Phillips; grandson of John and Elizabeth (Best) Jessup; great-grandson of William and Ruth (Halsey) Jessup; great²-grandson of *Stephen Halsey,* Surgeon, Col. Samuel Drake's New York Regt.

HARVEY MILTON SHIELDS, Dawson, New Mex. (21020). Son of John Milton and Emily Adelaide (Harvey) Shields; grandson of Andrew and Margaret (Leasure) Shields; great-grandson of John and Elizabeth (Speedy) Shields; great²-grandson of *John Shields,* private, Capt. William Blaine's Company Penna. Troops; great-grandson of *John Leasure,* private, Captain Spark's Company Penna. Militia.

FRANK L. WALRATH, Belen, New Mex. (21023). Son of Isaac M. and Irene Charlotte (Taylor) Walrath; grandson of Francis L. and Charlotte Irene (Sternbergh) Taylor; great-grandson of Peter and Catherine (Herkimer) Sternbergh; great-grandson of *George Herkimer,* Captain New York Militia; grandson of Moses and Peggy (Wetmosier) Walrath; great-grandson of Jacob H. and Nancy (Zoller) Walrath; great²-grandson of Henry I. and ——— (Bell) Walrath; great²-grandson of *George Henry Bell,* Captain New York Militia.

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FRANK WILLIAM ADRIANCE, Elmira, N. Y. (22637). Son of William and Deborah Ann (Angevine) Adriance; grandson of Jacob and Elizabeth (Humphrey) Adriance; great-grandson of *Rem Adriance,* private Second Dutchess County Regt. New York Militia.

GEORGE WALTON HOLKER ALLEN, Cazenovia, N. Y. (22466). Son of George Washington and Lydia Jeannette (McMillan) Allen; grandson of Thomas and Anne (Russell) Allen; great-grandson of Jonathan and Eunice (Williams) Allen; great²-grandson of *Thomas Allen,* private Berkshire County Volunteers, and Chaplain, Colonel Simonds's Mass. Regt., known as "the fighting parson."

THOMAS ALLEN, Cazenovia, N. Y. (22578). Son of George Washington and Lydia Jeannette (McMillan) Allen; grandson of Thomas and Anne (Russell) Allen; great-grandson of Jonathan and Eunice (Williams) Allen; great²-grandson of *Thomas Allen,* private Berkshire County Volunteers, and Chaplain, Colonel Simonds's Mass. Regt., known as "the fighting parson."

ALBERT BURT ARMSTRONG, Buffalo, N. Y. (22650). Son of Charles B. and Elizabeth Ann (Newton) Armstrong; grandson of Obed and Eliza (Walker) Newton; great-grandson of Jason and Betsey (McIntosh) Walker; great²-grandson of *James Walker,* Lieutenant Mass. Militia from Belchertown.

JAMES WARING BARNES, Newburgh, N. Y. (22583). Son of Nathaniel and Martha (Waring) Barnes, Jr.; grandson of Nathaniel and Effie (Deusenberrie) Barnes; great-grandson of *William Deusenberrie,* private, Col. Frederick Weissenfel's Regt. New York Levies.

GEORGE ELLSWORTH BARROWS, Buffalo, N. Y. (22907). Son of William Almon and Mary (Ellsworth) Barrows; grandson of Almon Z. and Lavancha E. (Love) Barrows; great-grandson of Isaac and Charlotte (Hatch) Barrows; great²-grandson of *Isaac Barrows,* Lieutenant, Mansfield Company Conn. Militia at Lexington Alarm.

WARD BROADHEAD BELKNAP, New York, N. Y. (22080). Son of Ward and Carrie V. (Broadhead) Belknap; grandson of John Lansing and Elizabeth (Tilford) Belknap; great-grandson of Stephen and Elizabeth Payne (Carpenter) Belknap; great²-grandson of *William Belknap,* Lieutenant Third New York Continental Infantry, Ensign First Regt. Canadian Continental Infantry, under Col. James Livingston.

OSCAR P. BENSON, Buffalo, N. Y. (22638). Son of Elias W. and Lydia (Sprague) Benson; grandson of Ephraim and Polly (Negus) Sprague; great-grandson of *David Sprague,* private Fourth Albany County Regt. New York Militia.

CHARLES VAN BERGEN, Buffalo, N. Y. (22088). Son of Antony and Julia (Pierson) Van Bergen; grandson of Antony A. and Clarine (Peck) Van Bergen; great-grandson of Peter A. and Hester (Hoogteling) Van Bergen; great^2-grandson of *Antony Van Bergen*, Colonel Eleventh Regt. New York Foot.

FRANK L. BEYER, Buffalo, N. Y. (23105). Son of Louis P. and Emma (Delano) Beyer; grandson of James and Emeline (James) Delano; great-grandson of *Isaac Delano, Jr.*, private Fourteenth Mass. Continental Regt.

ABNER PAINE BIGELOW, New York, N. Y. (22902). Son of Amariah Paine and Clarissa (Kathan) Bigelow; grandson of Asa and Anna Williams (Paine) Bigelow; great-grandson of *Solomon Bigelow*, Corporal, Colonel Doolittle's Mass. Regt., Member of Committee of Correspondence.

GEORGE WASHINGTON BIRD, New York, N. Y. (22472). So of Edmund and Sarah (Wilson) Bird; grandson of Edmund and Sarah (Hawes) Bird; great-grandson of *Edmund Bird*, Corporal First Mass. Regt., Col. Joseph Vose, pensioned.

WILLIAM N. D. BIRD, Buffalo, N. Y. (22908). Son of John Herman and Frances (Blaney) Bird; grandson of William A. and Joanna (Davis) Bird; great-grandson of John and Eunice (Porter) Bird; great^2-grandson of *Joshua Porter*, Lieutenant-Colonel Fourteenth Conn. Militia.

WILLIAM G. BISSELL, Buffalo, N. Y. (22600). Son of Amos Alanson and Susan Amelia (Wiltse or Wiltsey) Bissell; grandson of Blanis and Roxanna (Tanner) Wiltse; great-grandson of *John Wiltse*, private, Col. Marinus Willett's Regt. New York Levies.

CLINTON SUMNER BRADLEY, Buffalo, N. Y. (22910). Son of George M. and Josephine (McConnaughty) Bradley; grandson of Heman A. and Chloe Diana (Dickerman) Bradley; great-grandson of Simeon Dickerman; great^2-grandson of *Isaac Dickerman*, Lieutenant Third Company Fifth Battalion, General Wadsworth's Conn. Brigade.

WILLIAM CLARK CADY, New York, N. Y. (22093). Son of Almond Babcock and Elizabeth (Leary) Cady; grandson of Joseph and Lavinia (Tyler) Cady; great-grandson of *Samuel Cady, Jr.*, private, Captain Harvey's Company, Colonel Wright's Mass. Regt.; great^2-grandson of *Samuel Cady, Sr.*, private, Col. David Leonard's Mass. Regt.; grandson of William James and Eliza Ann (Buchanan) Leary; great-grandson of *John Leary*, private Sixth Company Second Regt. New York Line.

WALTER BARNES CHERRY, Syracuse, N. Y. (22576). Son of Charles E. and Ada Gage (Barnes) Cherry; grandson of Ira Gage and Sallie M. (Lewis) Barnes; great-grandson of Ezra D. and Artemesia (Gage) Barnes; great^2-grandson of *Justus* (and Mary Benjamin) *Gage*, private Third Dutchess County Regt. New York Militia; great^3-grandson of *Ebenezer Gage*, private Seventh Dutchess County Regt. New York Militia; great^3-grandson of *Cyrus Benjamin*, private Dutchess County Associated Exempts.

ALFRED COLERIDGE CLARK, Brooklyn, N. Y. (22468). Son of Francis Edwin and Melissa (Wilson) Clark; grandson of Gideon Molineaux and Julia Anna (Florance) Clark; great-grandson of Francis Edwin and Hannah Purdy (Molineaux) Clark; great^2-grandson of *Moses Clark*, private, Colonel Malcolm's Regt. New York Line.

JOHN WIGGINS COLLAMER, Schenectady, N. Y. (22458). Son of John Egbert and Helen (Hall) Collamer; grandson of William Anson and Harriett A. (Wiggins) Collamer, Jr.; great-grandson of William Anson and Anor (Newton) Collamer; great^2-grandson of Barker and Sally (Anthony) Collamer; great^3-grandson of *Anthony Collamer*, Sergeant Tenth Mass. Regt., Col. Benjamin Tupper.

HERBERT ALLEN COMBES, Buffalo, N. Y. (22630). Son of Eugene and Della (Allen) Combes; grandson of Theodore and Charlotte (Holmes) Combes; great-grandson of Preston and Elizabeth (Lund) Holmes; great^2-grandson of *George Holmes*, private, Col. Ebenezer Thayer's Mass. Regt.

ELLIOTT R. COLSON, Buffalo, N. Y. (22636). Son of Fred Augustus and Maria (Ransom) Colson; grandson of Augustus and Sarah Ann (Kennedy) Colson; great-grandson of Thomas R. and Jane Judith (Ellicott) Kennedy; great^2-grandson of *Samuel Kennedy*, Surgeon Fourth Penna. Battalion, killed at Monmouth, June 28, 1778.

ALBERT J. COLTON, Buffalo, N. Y. (22090). Son of Joseph Buck and Abigail (Winegard) Colton; grandson of Clinton and Poly (Buck) Colton; great-grandson of Benjamin and Phœbe (Herrick) Buck; great^2-grandson of *Daniel Buck*, Second Major Seventeenth Albany County Regt. New York State Militia.

DOUGLASS CONKLIN, Huntington, N. Y. (14186). Supplementals. Son of Jonas Platt and Hannah (Douglass) Conklin; grandson of Isaac and Hannah (Ketcham) Conklin; great-grandson of *Timothy Conklin*, father of Isaac, Lieutenant, Col. Josiah Smith's Regt. Suffolk County New York Minute Men; great-grandson of Solomon and Rebecca (Platt) Ketcham; great^2-grandson of *Solomon Ketcham*, Associator at Huntington, N. Y.; great^2-grandson of Jonas and Rebecca (Bennett) Platt; great^3-grandson of *John Bennett*, fifer, Capt. John Wick's Company, Col. Josiah Smith's First Suffolk County New York Militia; grandson of William and Susan (Conklin) Douglass; great-grandson of *Thomas Conklin*, father of Susan, private First Suffolk County New York Regt.

WILLIAM HENRY CORBUSIER, U. S. Army, New York, N. Y. (4054). Supplemental. Son of William Morrison and Mahala (Myers) Corbusier; grandson of James Henry and Eleanor Catherine (Sloat) Corbusier; great-grandson of Alexander and Sarah (Layton) Sloat; great^2-grandson of Cornelius and Eleanor (McKinney) Sloat; great^3-grandson of *Arthur McKinney*, private Second Ulster County Regt. New York Militia.

WINTHROP COWDIN, Mt. Kisco, N. Y. (22914). Son of Elliot C. and Sarah Katharine (Waldron) Cowdin; grandson of Samuel Wallis and Martha (Melcher) Waldron; great-grandson of Isaac and Mary Jones (Wallis) Waldron; great^2-grandson of *Samuel Wallis*, Ensign, Capt. Joseph Parsons's Company New Hampshire Militia; grandson of A. and Abby (Carter) Cowdin; great-grandson of *Thomas Cowdin*, Captain, Colonel Read's Mass Regt.

ROBERT SHERIDAN DARBEE, Brooklyn, N. Y. (22457). Son of Robert M. and Mary Jane (Sheridan) Darbee; grandson of Abraham and Mary A. (Fletcher) Darbee; great-grandson of Levi and Jemima (Hermance) Darbee; great^2-grandson of John and Arietta (Elmendorf) Hermance; great^3-grandson of *Benjamin Elmendorf*, Third Lieutenant Grenadier Company Ulster County New York Militia.

HARRY PERCY DAVID, New York, N. Y. (22082). Son of Tucker and Miriam (Phillips) David; grandson of Jonas N. and Esther (Peixoto) Phillips; great-grandson of Naphtali and Rachel (Seixas) Phillips; great^2-grandson of *Jonas Phillips*, private Philadelphia Militia.

FRANK EDWIN DAVIS, Brooklyn, N. Y. (22631). Son of Fred Fuller and Mary Elizabeth (Rand) Davis; grandson of Darius and Emeline (Finson) Rand; great-grandson of William and Sally (Brown) Rand; great^2-grandson of *William H. Rand*, private New Hampshire Militia and Line; great^3-grandson of *William Rand*, private New Hampshire Minute Men, October 12, 1775; grandson of Gorham and Adeline Hopkins (Dean) Davis; great-grandson of Prince and Betty (Cahoun) Davis; great^2-grandson of *Samuel Davis*, private Mass. Troops, pensioned.

FREDERICK WILLIS DAVIS, Brooklyn, N. Y. (22635). Son of Fred. Fuller and Mary Elizabeth (Rand) Davis; grandson of Darius and Emeline (Finson) Rand; great-grandson of William and Sally (Brown) Rand; great²-grandson of *William H. Rand*, private New Hampshire Militia and Line; great³-grandson of *William Rand*, private New Hampshire Minute Men, October 12, 1775; grandson of Gorham and Adeline Hopkins (Dean) Davis; great-grandson of Prince and Betty (Cahoun) Davis; great²-grandson of *Samuel Davis*, private Mass. Troops, pensioned.

WILLIAM DELAMATER, Brooklyn, N. Y. (22091). Son of William and Maria (Smith) Delamater; grandson of James Fowler and Sarah (Phillips) Smith; great-grandson of *Enoch Smith*, private Capt. Samuel Keeler's Company, Col. Philip B. Bradley's Conn. Regt., pensioned.

GEORGE MYNARD DEYOE, Johnstown, N. Y. (22599). Son of George Henry and Mary Elizabeth (Butler) Deyoe; grandson of George and Eunice G. (Downing) Butler; great-grandson of James M. and Malinda R. (Robinson) Downing; great²-grandson of *Samuel Downing*, private Second New Hampshire Regt., Colonel Fifield.

JAMES TAYLOR DICKINSON, Rochester, N. Y. (22915). Son of Alfred E. and Fannie E. (Taylor) Dickinson; grandson of James B. and Mary (Williams) Taylor; great-grandson of *Elisha Scott Williams*, Adjutant Conn. Militia, privateersman.

PHILIP STEPHENS DODD, Cleveland, Ohio (N. Y. 22463). Son of Jesse G. and Sarah Frances (Walton) Dodd; grandson of David C. and Adeline R. (Mulford) Dodd, Jr.; great-grandson of James C. and Elizabeth (Harrison) Dodd; great²-grandson of Amos and Polly (Canfield) Dodd, Jr.; great³-grandson of *Amos Dodd*, Captain Second Essex County Regt. New Jersey Militia.

WILLIAM ELLIOTT DOLD, New York, N. Y. (22469). Son of Samuel Miller and Sue J. (Heneberger) Dold; grandson of Peter and Mary (Gibbons) Heneberger; great-grandson of Isaac and Mary (Gaugwer) Gibbons; great²-grandson of *Abel Gibbons*, private Second Northampton County Battalion Penna. Militia.

JOSIAH W. DOLSON, New York, N. Y. (22452). Son of Josiah W. and Anna Hamilton (Conklin) Dolson; grandson of William and Lydia (Polhemus) Dolson; great-grandson of *John Dolson*, private Fourth Orange County Regt. New York Militia.

WILLIAM HAMILTON DOLSON, New York, N. Y. (22451). Son of Josiah W. and Anna Hamilton (Conklin) Dolson; grandson of William and Lydia (Polhemus) Dolson; great-grandson of *John Dolson*, private Fourth Orange County Regt. New York Militia.

HERBERT STONE DRAPER, Rochester, N. Y. (22484). Son of Henry Stone and Emeline Aurelia (Barnes) Draper; grandson of Henry and Harriet (Stone) Draper; great-grandson of *Simeon Draper*, private, Capt. Lebbeus Drew's Company Fourth Mass. Regt. of Foot.

ALBERT BIGELOW EASTWOOD, Rochester, N. Y. (22905). Son of William and Clara Ellen (Bigelow) Eastwood; grandson of Amariah Paine and Clarissa (Kathan) Bigelow; great-grandson of Asa and Anna Williams (Paine) Bigelow; great²-grandson of *Solomon Bigelow*, private, Colonel Doolittle's Mass. Regt., Member of Committee of Correspondence.

JOHN A. ECKERT, Oyster Bay, N. Y. (22916). Son of John A. and Mary E. (Barringer) Eckert; grandson of Edward Nelson and Catharine (Ten Broeck) Barringer; great-grandson of Samuel L. and Polly (Miller) Ten Broeck; great²-grandson of *Leonard Ten Broeck*, Captain Tenth New York Militia.

OLIVER M. EDWARDS, Syracuse, N. Y. (22923). Son of Eleazur W. and Amy Ann (Murray) Edwards; grandson of Daniel and Margaret (McAllister) Edwards; great-grandson of John and Margaret (Yanney) Edwards; great²-grandson of *Henry Yanney*, Sergeant, Capt. John Fisher's Company Third Tryon County Regt. New York Militia.

HENRY GAYLORD ELLIOTT, Montclair, N. J. (22315). Son of Henry and Anna (Gaylord) Elliott; grandson of Daniel and Rosanna (Seeley) Gaylord; great-grandson of Peter and Sarah (Hartwell) Gaylord; great²-grandson of *Benjamin Gaylord*, private Fifth Regt. Conn. Militia.

ALBERT HOPKINS ELLIS, Syracuse, N. Y. (23102). Son of James M. and Martha (Peck) Ellis; grandson of Aaron and Caroline (Austin) Peck; great-grandson of Samuel and Eliza (Ray) Austin; great²-grandson of *Roswell Ray*, private and fifer, Col. Henry Livingston's New York Regt.

WOLCOTT WEBSTER ELLSWORTH, Johnstown, N. Y. (22642). Son of Pinckney Webster and Julia (Dow) Ellsworth; grandson of William Wolcott and Emily (Webster) Ellsworth; great-grandson of *Oliver Ellsworth*, Delegate from Connecticut in Continental Congress, 1777; Executive Councilor, 1778-1780; Chief Justice of United States in 1796.

JOHN C. FARR, Jr., Hoboken, N. J. (N. Y. 22453). Son of John C. and Charlotte (Taylor) Farr; grandson of Alfred A. and Lucinda (Wilcox) Farr; great-grandson of Jehiel and Keziah (Houghton) Wilcox; great²-grandson of *Abijah Houghton*, private, Col. Asa Whitcomb's Mass. Regt., pensioned.

FREDERICK STEVENS FRAMBACH, New York, N. Y. (22454). Son of Frederick and Agnes Emma (Stevens) Frambach; grandson of Joel Owen and Hannah M. (Price) Stevens; great-grandson of Ephraim and Jane (Owen) Stevens; great²-grandson of *Peter Stevens*, private Sixth Dutchess County Regt. New York Militia.

GEORGE GROSS FRYER, Syracuse, N. Y. (23104). Son of George and Mary Jane (Smyth) Fryer; grandson of William and Catharine (Anderson) Fryer; great-grandson of *Enoch Anderson*, Captain Eleventh Penna. Regt.

ALBERT COOLEY FULTON, Syracuse, N. Y. (22917). Son of Harmon H. and Maria E. (Newcomb) Fulton; grandson of Horatio Cooley and Eliza (Pabody) Newcomb; great-grandson of Ezra Fitch and Mabel (Butler) Pabody; great²-grandson of Chauncey and Demia (Bullen) Butler; great³-grandson of *Joel Butler*, private Vermont Militia.

CHARLES ASBURY GORSE, Meadowbrook, N. Y. (22084). Son of Charles and Eleanor Louisa (Ireland) Gorse; grandson of Thomas and Content (Noxon) Ireland, Jr.; great-grandson of *Thomas Ireland*, private Third Ulster County Regt. New York Militia.

CHARLES FRANCIS GRADY, Buffalo, N. Y. (22909). Son of Lawrence Powers and Susan (Woodin) Grady; grandson of Bushrod Washington and Lois (Williams) Woodin; great-grandson of Timothy and Marcia (Grosvenor) Woodin; great²-grandson of Israel and Eunice (Jones) Grosvenor; great³-grandson of John and Molly (Lee) Grosvenor, Jr.; great⁴-grandson of *John Grosvenor*, Chairman of Commissary Committee, private Pomfret Company Conn. Militia.

ORVILLE DANIEL GREEN, New York, N. Y. (22081). Son of Spicer and Harriet (Maxson) Green; grandson of Joseph J. and Polly (Gavitt) Green; great-grandson of *John Greene*, Sergeant, Capt. Samuel Shaw's Company Sixth Albany Regt. New York Militia.

CLARENCE STORY GROW, New York, N. Y. (22911). Son of Philander E. and Roxana (Bigelow) Grow; grandson of Philander and Lydia (Story) Grow; great-grandson of Ezekiel and Lydia (Sprague) Story; great²-grandson of *Asa Story*, Lieutenant First Regt. Conn. Line.

CORCELLUS HUBBARD HACKETT, New York, N. Y. (22912). Son of James and Hannah Hoyt (Richardson) Hackett; grandson of Ephraim and Mary (Corwin) Hackett; great-grandson of *Daniel Hackett*, private New Hampshire Militia; grandson of Joshua and Lois (Hoyt) Richardson; great-grandson of *William Richardson*, Corporal, Capt. Hezekiah Hutchins's Company New Hampshire Volunteers.

HAROLD HUMPHREY HACKETT, New York, N. Y. (22913). Son of Corcellus Hubbard and Helen J. (Humphrey) Hackett; grandson of James and Hannah Hoyt (Richardson) Hackett; great-grandson of Ephraim and Mary (Corwin) Hackett; great²-grandson of *Daniel Hackett*, private New Hampshire Militia; great-grandson of Joshua and Lois (Hoyt) Richardson; great²-grandson of *William Richardson*, Corporal, Capt. Hezekiah Hutchins's Company New Hampshire Volunteers.

HORATIO HALL, Huntington, N. Y. (22645). Son of Horatio and Jane (Kincaid) Hall; grandson of John F. and Sarah (Hunt) Hall; great-grandson of *John Hall*, Second Lieutenant, Captain Snow's Fifth "Harpswell" Company Second Cumberland County Regt. Mass. Militia.

WILLIAM NOWLEN HALLOCK, Bath, N. Y. (22459). Son of William Hubbell and Louise (Nowlen) Hallock; grandson of George W. and Mary (Hubbell) Hallock; great-grandson of William Spring and Maria (McCall) Hubbell; great²-grandson of Ansel and Sarah (Weed) McCall; great³-grandson of *Benajah McCall*, private Seventeenth Albany County Regt. New York Militia.

FRANK HAMILTON, New York, N. Y. (22585). Son of Morris Robeson and Harriet Pennington (Halsted) Hamilton; grandson of John and Mary (Pennington) Halsted; great-grandson of *William Sanford* (and Phœbe Wheeler) *Pennington*, Major Second New Jersey Artillery; great²-grandson of *James Wheeler*, Captain Second Somerset Battalion New Jersey Militia.

NORMAN PETER HEFFLEY, Brooklyn, N. Y. (22455). Son of Ananias and Elizabeth (Swope) Heffley; grandson of Peter and Sarah (Johnson) Heffley; great-grandson of *George Johnson*, fifer, Colonel Buford's Regt. Virginia Line, pensioned.

GEORGE ALOYSIUS HOYT, Brooklyn, N. Y. (22586). Son of Frederick A. and Florence Sarah (Murphey) Hoyt; grandson of William Henry and Anne (Deming) Hoyt; great-grandson of Eleazer Hubbell and Fanny Fay (Follett) Deming; great²-grandson of *Pownal Deming*, Lieutenant First Regt. Conn. Line, 1778; grandson of Peter Umstead and Emily Reunie (Patrick) Murphey; great-grandson of Archibald Debow and Jane Armistead (Scott) Murphey; great²-grandson of *Archibald Murphey*, Member of Committee of Safety of Orangt County, N. C.; great-grandson of Daniel and Sarah (Flanders) Hoyt; great²-grandson of *Joseph Hoyt*, Signer of the Association Test in New Hampshire.

CHARLES A. HUDSON, Syracuse, N. Y. (22582). Son of Albert Alonzo and Jennette (Ashley) Hudson; grandson of Aaron and Almira (Smith) Ashley; great-grandson of *Simeon Smith*, privatae, Col. Timothy Danielson's Mass. Regt.

EDMUND AARON HUDSON, Syracuse, N. Y. (22592). Son of Albert Alonzo and Jennette (Ashley) Hudson; grandson of Aaron and Almira (Smith) Ashley; great-grandson of *Simeon Smith*, private, Col. Timothy Danielson's Regt. Militia.

GEORGE WALLACE INGALLS, Syracuse, N. Y. (22924). Son of Leon Wallace and Martha A. (Phillips) Ingalls; grandson of Daniel Tompkins and Sally Malissa (Dake) Ingalls; great-grandson of Benjamin and Anna (Rogers) Dake; great²-grandson of *Charles Dake*, private Sixteenth Albany County Regt. New York Militia.

RANKIN JOHNSON, New York, N. Y. (22086). Son of James Gibson and Mary Abegail (Rankin) Johnson; grandson of Lorenzo Dow and Mary (Burges) Johnson; great-grandson of *Jeremiah Johnson*, private First Regt. New Hampshire Militia; great-grandson of Abraham and Mrs. Rhoda C. (Taber) Burges; great²-grandson of *John Burges*, minute man, Lieutenant of Militia of Rochester, Mass.

JESSE COVERT JORALEMON, Jersey City, N. J. (N. Y. 22471). Son of Waling and Mary Jane (Covert) Joralemon; grandson of John C. and Margaret (Van Winkle) Joralemon; great-grandson of Cornelis and Janetie (Junianse) Jaral-

oman; great²-grandson of *John Jaraloman*, Ensign Bergen County New Jersey Militia; grandson of Jesse and Sara (Canfield) Covert; great-grandson of Alpheus and Betsey (Resseguie) Canfield; great²-grandson of *Jacob Resseguie*, private Seventh and Fifth Regts. Conn. Line.

GEORGE PAUL LEFFLER, New York, N. Y. (22089). Son of B. Franklin and Amanda C. (Paul) Leffler; grandson of Samuel and Elizabeth (Wildermuth) Leffler; great-grandson of John and Juliana (Becker) Leffler; great²-grandson of *Conrad Leffler*, Surgeon, Major Sixth Berks County Battalion Penna. Associators, Member of Committee of Safety.

ARTHUR SCHULTZ LEWIS, Brooklyn, N. Y. (22590). Son of Osborn Horton and Emma (Schultz) Lewis; grandson of John and Mary (Horton, widow Draper) Lewis; great-grandson of Benjamin and Zinthia (Merritt) Lewis; great²-grandson of *Eleazer Lewis*, private Fourth Regt. Conn. Line.

EBEN ORLANDO McNAIR, Buffalo, N. Y. (4124). Amended record. Son of David Anthony and Juliana Trumbull (Willcox) McNair; grandson of Charles and Almira (Rood) Willcox; great-grandson of John and Margaret (Kelsey) Willcox; great²-grandson of *John Willcox*, private Seventh Regt. Conn. Line, Col. Heman Swift.

HAROLD MIDDLETON MARSDEN, New York, N. Y. (22473). Son of Samuel and Anna Caroline (Scofield) Marsden; grandson of Samuel Wheaton and Caroline (La Fontaine) Scofield; great-grandson of John Edwin and Eliza Ann (Van Amburgh) Scofield; great²-grandson of Rufus and Mary (Wheaton) Scofield; great³-grandson of Gershom and Lydia (Bell) Scofield; great⁴-grandson of *Jonathan Bell, Jr.*, Captain Ninth Regt. Conn. Militia.

HORACE WILLARD MERWIN, JR., New York, N. Y. (22475). Son of Horace Willard and Lillian Ambrosia (Knapp) Merwin; grandson of Horace I. and Harriet (Clow) Merwin; great-grandson of Henry E. and Polly (Van Hoesen) Clow (or Clough); great²-grandson of *Jacob C. Van Hoesen*, private Eighth Albany County Regt. New York Militia.

HARRIE JAY MILLSPAUGH, Corning, N. Y. (22460). Son of Leander M. and Mary V. (Davis) Millspaugh; grandson of Leander and Margaret (Christie) Millspaugh; great-grandson of *Mathias Millspaugh*, Sergeant, Colonel Johnson's Regt. New York Militia.

NELSON MOORE, Rochester, N. Y. (23101). Son of Linus and Jane (Deremus) Moore; grandson of Roger and Jerusha (Kelsey) Moore; great-grandson of *Roger Moore*, Sergeant under Ethan Allen, 1775; First Lieutenant, Colonel Enos's Conn. Regt., 1777.

EDGAR COIT MORRIS, Syracuse, N. Y. (22644). Son of Edgar F. and Augustina Caroline (Coit) Morris; grandson of James Jefferson and Augustina (Porter) Coit; great-grandson of James and Anna (Lovett) Coit; great²-grandson of Samuel and Mercy (Clark) Coit; great³-grandson of *Samuel Coit*, Member of Preston, Conn., Committee of Correspondence, Judge of County and Maritime Court.

FAYETTE ELMER MOYER, Johnston, N. Y. (22591). Son of Charles Mengo and Mydia Jane (Hess) Moyer; grandson of Henry F. and Margaret (Gallock) Moyer; great-grandson of Frederick and Maria (Rickard) Moyer; great²-grandson of *Henry Moyer*, Ensign Tryon County New York Militia; great²-grandson of *John Rickard*, private Tryon County New York Militia; great-grandson of Charles Elias and Christina (Brookman) Gallock; great²-grandson of *John Brookman*, private New York Militia; grandson of Henry and Lydia (Wormouth) Hess; great-grandson of Mathias and Mary (Wolgemuth) Wormouth; great²-grandson of *William* (and Reghina Speaker) *Wormouth*, private, Colonel Klock's Regt. New York Militia; great³-grandson of *John Wormouth*, private, Colonel Campbell's Regt. Tryon County New York Militia; great²-grandson of William and Maria Wolgemuth; great³-grandson of *John Wolgemuth*, private, Colonel Campbell's Regt. Tryon County New York Militia; great³-grandson of *George Speaker*, private, Colonel Campbell's Regt. Tryon County

New York Militia; great^3-grandson of *Michael Godfrey Brookman,* private New York Militia.

JOSEPH WARD NEAL, Syracuse, N. Y. (22918). Son of William H. H. and Harriet A. (Baum) Neal; grandson of Benjamin Ward and Cynthia Ann (Stanton) Baum; great-grandson of Oliver and Rhoda (Underwood) Stanton; great^2-grandson of Robert and Elizabeth (Palmer) Stanton; great^3-grandson of *Joshua Stanton,* Captain, Col. Seth Warner's Conn. Regt.

CLEMENT ROY NEWKIRK, Brooklyn, N. Y. (22626). Son of Clement Botsford and Mary L. (Seybolt) Newkirk; grandson of Abram Westbrook and Adaline (Stickney) Newkirk; great-grandson of Henry and Frances (Reeve) Newkirk; great^2-grandson of *John Newkirk,* Captain Second Ulster County Regt. New York Militia.

CHARLES EDWIN OGDEN, Rochester, N. Y. (22627). Son of Darius Adams and Judith (Lawrence) Ogden; grandson of Melitiah and Mary (Rewalt) Lawrence; great-grandson of *John Rewalt,* Captain, Assistant Deputy Wagon Master General Lancaster County Penna. Militia.

HENRY NORTON ORD, Berkeley, Cal. (N. Y. 22587). Son of Capt. E. O. C. and Mary Frances (Norton) Ord; grandson of Gen. E. O. C. and Mary Mercer (Thompson) Ord; great-grandson of James and Rebecca (Cresap) Ord; great^2-grandson of *Daniel Cresap,* First Lieutenant Maryland Riflemen.

GEORGE HOMER PARTRIDGE, New York, N. Y. (22096). Son of Luther Lee and Laura Adele (Homer) Partridge; grandson of Benjamin Franklin and Mary Howard (Wheeler) Partridge; great-grandson of *Amos Partridge,* private Mass. and New Hampshire Militia.

PHILIP PEARSALL, Huntington, N. Y. (22919). Son of William and Phebe (Ketcham) Pearsall; grandson of Philip and Rosetta (Ketcham) Ketcham; great-grandson of Philip and Susanna (Brush) Ketcham; great^2-grandson of *Solomon Ketcham,* Associator, Huntington, N. Y.

HARRY LONGYEAR PRESTON, Jordan, N. Y. (22920). Son of Otis Marshall and Angeline (Lawrence) Preston; grandson of Ezekiel and Cornelia Laraway (Smith) Preston; great-grandson of Otis and Dorotha (Knap) Preston; great^2-grandson of *Amariah Preston,* Adjutant, Col. Nathan Tyler's Mass. Regt.; great^2-grandson of *Job Knap,* Captain Third Worcester County Regt. Mass. Militia; great-grandson of David and Jean (More) Smith; great^2-grandson of *John More,* private Eleventh Albany County Regt. New York Militia; grandson of George and Abigail Christina (Longyear) Lawrence; great-grandson of Andrew and Elizabeth (Rogers) Longyear; great^2-grandson of *Christopher Longyear,* private First Ulster County Regt. New York Militia; great^3-grandson of *Jacob Longyear,* private Fifth Regt. New York Continental Line.

MARINUS SEYMOUR PURDY, Newburgh, N. Y. (22085). Son of Marinus Edgar and Sarah Elizabeth (Ogden) Purdy; grandson of Charles Ross and Mary Ann (Van Arsdale) Ogden; great-grandson of Nicholas and Rebecca (Mills) Van Arsdale; great^2-grandson of *Samuel Mills,* private, Col. Matthias Ogden's New Jersey Regt. and Col. Philip Van Cortland's New York Regt., pensioned.

LOUIS RALSTON, New York, N. Y. (22464). (Name changed to Ralston.) Son of Henry and Sarah (Ancker) Rosenham; grandson of Adelph and Abby (Pettigrew) Ancker; great-grandson of *James Pettigrew,* Lieutenant Third and Eleventh Regts. Penna. Line, pensioned.

WILLIAM JOHNS RALSTON, New York, N. Y. (22465). Son of Louis and Kate (Johns) Ralston, name changed from Rosenham; grandson of Henry and Sarah (Ancker) Rosenham; great-grandson of Adolph and Abby (Pettigrew) Ancker; great^2-grandson of *James Pettigrew,* Lieutenant Third and Eleventh Regts. Penna. Line.

EDWIN GARFIELD REYNOLDS, Brooklyn, N. Y. (22097). Son of Charles H. and Naomi A. (Vandewater) Reynolds; grandson of Henry and Catherine

(Lawrence) Reynolds; great-grandson of Elijah and Drusilla (Lockwood) Reynolds; great²-grandson of *Abraham Lockwood,* private Ninth Regt. Conn. Militia; grandson of Gilbert C. and Charlotte (Oakley) Vandewater; great-grandson of Peter and Naomi (Conkling) Vandewater; great²-grandson of Gilbert and Naomi Conkling; great³-grandson of *Hubbard Conkling,* Associator at Huntington, New York, 1775.

EUGENE BENTON REYNOLDS, Brooklyn, N. Y. (22098). Son of Charles Henry and Naomi A. (Vandewater) Reynolds; grandson of Henry and Catherine (Lawrence) Reynolds; great-grandson of Elijah and Drusilla (Lockwood) Reynolds; great²-grandson of *Abraham Lockwood,* private Ninth Regt. Conn. Militia; grandson of Gilbert C. and Charlotte (Oakley) Vandewater; great-grandson of Peter and Naomi (Conkling) Vandewater; great²-grandson of Gilbert and Naomi Conkling; great³-grandson of *Hubbard Conkling,* Associator at Huntington, New York, 1775.

ARTHUR HERBERT RICE, Buffalo, N. Y. (22593). Son of Benjamin B. and Harriet Ann (Ritterse) Rice; grandson of Isaac J. and Sarah Alden (Carpenter) Rice; great-grandson of Benjamin and Charlotte Bartlett (Alden) Carpenter; great²-grandson of *John Carpenter,* Member of Colonial Assembly from Orange County, New York, 1778.

GEORGE CARPENTER RICE, Buffalo, N. Y. (22643). Son of Benjamin B. and Harriet Ann (Ritterse) Rice; grandson of Isaac J. and Sarah Alden (Carpenter) Rice; great-grandson of Benjamin and Charlotte Bartlett (Alden) Carpenter; great²-grandson of *John Carpenter,* Member of Colonial Assembly from Orange County, New York, 1778.

GEORGE FREDERICK ROOT, Buffalo, N. Y. (22087). Son of Samuel and Margaret (Cameron) Root; grandson of Samuel and Julia Ann (Mowry) Root; great-grandson of Jabez and Candace (Olney) Mowry; great²-grandson of *Stephen Olney,* Captain Second Rhode Island Regt.

WALTER CLARK RUNYON, New York, N. Y. (22470). Son of Clark and Laura J. (Wheelock) Runyon; grandson of Israel and Mary (Polly) (Deeds) Runyon; great-grandson of *Elias Runyon,* teamster, Captain Hinman's Team Brigade New Jersey Militia.

FREDERIC BREWSTER SAMMIS, Huntington, N. Y. (22921). Son of Frederick G. and Maria P. (Conklin) Sammis; grandson of Erastus H. and Ruth (Wood) Conklin; great-grandson of *Ezra Conklin,* Corporal, Captain John Wickes's Company, Col. Josiah Smith's Regt. New York Militia.

WHEELER SAMMONS, Cambridge, Mass. (N. Y. 22925). Son of Thomas and Elizabeth (Wheeler) Sammons; grandson of Charles Wright and Nancy Eleanor (Covenhover) Wheeler; great-grandson of John E. and Elizabeth (Van Alstine) Covenhover; great²-grandson of *Philip Van Alstine,* private First Tryon County Regt. New York Militia and Seventh Albany County Regt.

OLIVER GEORGE JOHN SCHADT, Ocean Grove, N. J. (N. Y. 22594). Son of Moses B. and Lucinda Emily (Sterner) Schadt; grandson of John and Maria (Berge) Schadt; great-grandson of *Christian Berge,* private Northampton County Penna. Militia.

JOSEPH BENTLEY SEE, Cranford, N. J. (N. Y. 22632). Son of Benjamin and Lavina (Jennings) See; grandson of John and Eunice (Minor) See; great-grandson of *Abraham See,* private First Westchester County Regt. New York Militia.

JOSEPH RUSSELL SEE, Cranford, N. J. (N. Y. 22633). Son of Joseph B. and Ann L. (Weeker) See; grandson of Benjamin and Lavina (Jennings) See; great-grandson of John and Eunice (Minor) See; great²-grandson of *Abraham See,* private First Westchester County Regt. New York Militia.

GEORGE NELSON SEYMOUR, Brooklyn, N. Y. (22639). Son of Louis Nelson and Olie (Raine) Seymour; grandson of Oscar R. and Sarah J. (Aymar) Seymour; great-grandson of Nelson and Rebecca (Grigg) Seymour; great²-grandson of *Henry Grigg,* private, Bradley's Battalion Wadsworth's Conn. Brigade.

JOHN SLOTE, Huntington, N. Y. (22646). Son of Daniel and Ann Jane (Lowery) Slote; grandson of *Daniel Slott,* private, Lieut.-Col. Lasher Baldwin's Regt. "The Line Artificers."

BURNS LYMAN SMITH, Syracuse, N. Y. (22628). Son of Lyman Cornelius and Flora Elizabeth (Burns) Smith; grandson of Lewis S. and Eliza Ann (Hurlbut) Smith; great-grandson of William and Rebecca (Bissell) Smith; great^2-grandson of Benjamin and Esther (Benton) Bissell; great^3-grandson of *Zebulon Bissell,* private Conn. Militia in Continental service, prisoner, died en route home Dec. 26, 1776.

HOWARD FRANKLIN SMITH, Buffalo, N. Y. (22598). Son of Charles Powers and Nettie V. (Cook) Smith; grandson of Franklin Warren and Caroline T. (Benham) Cook; great-grandson of Lemuel and Susan (Mason) Cook, Jr.; great^2-grandson of *Lemuel Cook,* private Conn. Continental Troops, pensioned.

FREDERICK WILLIAM SOUZA, New York, N. Y. (22922). Son of Moses and Zipporah (Cohen) Souza; grandson of Jacob I. and Grace (Seixas) Cohen; great-grandson of *Benjamin Mendez Seixas,* Lieutenant New York Militia.

JOSEPH ANDERSON SOWDON, Yonkers, N. Y. (15370). Supplemental. Son of George Harris and Eliza Tweed (Gildersleeve) Sowdon; grandson of George and Emma Dimock (Van Pelt) Sowdon; great-grandson of Peter and Emma (Robinson) Van Pelt; great^2-grandson of James and Thankful (Dimock) Robinson, Jr.; great^3-grandson of *James Robinson,* Captain Tenth Regt. Conn. Militia.

DANA LEVI SPRING, Buffalo, N. Y. (22596). Son of Alfred and Anna (Tarbell) Spring; grandson of Dana O. and Frances Maria (Wilder) Tarbell; great-grandson of James and Hannah (Walker) Tarbell; great-grandson of Billings and Hannah (Proctor) Walker; great^2-grandson of *Leonard Proctor,* Lieutenant, Colonel Reed's Sixth Regt. Mass. Militia.

GRANT LANSING STANFORD, Schenectady, N. Y. (22581). Son of Welton and Katherine Groot (Lansing) Stanford; grandson of Charles and Jane Eliza (Page) Stanford; great-grandson of Josiah and Elizabeth (Phillips) Stanford; great^2-grandson of Lyman and Elizabeth (Roberts) Stanford; great^3-grandson of *Abner Stanford,* Corporal, Colonel Bailey's Mass. Continental Regt. and other service, pensioned.

WELTON STANFORD, Schenectady, N. Y. (22579). Son of Charles and Jane Eliza (Page) Stanford; grandson of Josiah and Elizabeth (Phillips) Stanford; great-grandson of Lyman and Elizabeth (Roberts) Stanford; great^2-grandson of *Abner Stanford,* Corporal, Colonel Bailey's Mass. Continental Regt. and other service.

WELTON STANFORD, Jr., Schenectady, N. Y. (22580). Son of Welton and Katherine Groot (Lansing) Stanford; grandson of Charles and Jane Eliza (Page) Stanford; great-grandson of Josiah and Elizabeth (Phillips) Stanford; great^2-grandson of Lyman and Elizabeth (Roberts) Stanford; great^3-grandson of *Abner Stanford,* Corporal, Colonel Bailey's Mass. Continental Regt. and other service.

WARREN EATON STIMPSON, Brooklyn, N. Y. (22100). Son of Stephen A. and Mary Ann (Eaton) Stimpson; grandson of Stephen and Elizabeth (Blaney) Stimpson; great-grandson of *Stephen Stimpson,* private, Col. John Robinson's Regt. Militia; great-grandson of Benjamin and Elizabeth (Wait) Blaney; great^2-grandson of *Benjamin Blaney,* Captain Malden Company Mass. Militia.

ROBERT STROBRIDGE, New York, N. Y. (22903). Son of George E. and Kate (Kidder) Strobridge; grandson of Daniel P. and Hariette (Smith) Kidder; great-grandson of Asabel and Betsy (Adams) Smith; great^2-grandson of *Abel Adams,* private Second Conn. Continental Regt., 1775.

WILLIAM BITTLE SYMMES, New York, N. Y. (22099). Son of William Bittle and Ann Elizabeth (Hill) Symmes; grandson of John and Abigail (Green) Symmes; great-grandson of *Samuel Symmes,* private, Capt. Samuel Belknap's Company Mass. Minute Men.

WILLIAM BITTLE SYMMES, Jr., New York, N. Y. (22461). Son of William Bittle and Margaret S. (Evans) Symmes; grandson of William B. and Ann Elizabeth (Hill) Symmes; great-grandson of John and Abigail (Green) Symmes; great²-grandson of *Samuel Symmes,* private, Capt. Samuel Belknap's Company Mass. Minute Men.

EUGENE THEODORE TANKE, Buffalo, N. Y. (22906). Son of Theodore C. and Ella Louise (Noble) Tanke; grandson of John Scott and Mary Jane (Shepard) Noble; great-grandson of Ralph and Laura (Tracy) Shepard; great²-grandson of *Hezekiah Tracy,* private, Col. Ira Allen's Regt. Vermont Militia.

NELSON OTIS TIFFANY, Buffalo, N. Y. (22083). Son of Nelson Arnold and Martha Eliza (Whitney) Tiffany; grandson of Benjamin and Achsah (Manly) Tiffany; great-grandson of *Benjamin Tiffany,* Sergeant New Hampshire Militia; grandson of Lewis and Sarah (Kitchen) Whitney; great-grandson of *Josiah Whitney,* Ensign, Colonel Burrall's Conn. Regt.

ROBERT HULL TIFFT, Buffalo, N. Y. (22640). Son of Wrilson Simon and Maria Elizabeth (Maxon) Tifft; grandson of Simon and Ann (Webster) Tifft; great-grandson of John and Ann (Vallett) Tifft; great²-grandson of *Robert Tifft (Tefft),* Corporal, Captain Gorton's Company Rhode Island Militia and in Colonel Topham's Regt.

HANFORD COMSTOCK TODD, Hastings-on-Hudson, N. Y. (22648). Son of Hanford Comstock and Mercy Anna (Marclay) Todd; grandson of Darius Webb and Margaret (Comstock) Todd; great-grandson of Aaron and Esther (Kellogg) Comstock; great²-grandson of *Aaron Comstock,* Sergeant, Col. John Mead's Conn. Regt., pensioned.

ALBERT HALLER TRACY, Jr., Buffalo, N. Y. (22901). Son of Albert Haller and Mary (Burhans) Tracy; grandson of Kester and Hannah (Fanning) Tracy; great-grandson of *Gilbert Tracy,* private, Colonel Durkee's Conn. Regt.

WILLIAM CUTLER WALLACE, Niagara Falls, N. Y. (22904). Son of William H. and Marietta (West) Wallace; grandson of Luke and Margaret (Partridge) Wallace or Wallis; great-grandson of *Curwin Wallis,* private, Col. Josiah Whitney's Mass. Regt.

CHARLES FREDERICK WALTERS, Rochester, N. Y. (22641). Son of Sylvester and Elizabeth (Romer) Walters; grandson of Ardennis and Deborah Ann (Free) Romer; great-grandson of John and Leah (Van Tassel) Romer; great²-grandson of *Cornelius Van Tassel,* Lieutenant First Westchester County Regt. New York Militia.

TOM WELTON, Ithaca, N. Y. (22456). Son of Frank Graves and Mary Ella (Clark) Welton; grandson of Dexter Gaylor and Sarah Jane (Moore) Clark; great-grandson of Elijah and Sibil (Green) Clark; great²-grandson of *Timothy Green,* Corporal Mass. Militia.

WILLIAM WOLCOTT WIARD, Syracuse, N. Y. (22584). Son of Harry and Eleanor L. (Wolcott) Wiard; grandson of William and Sarah Maria (Lewis) Wolcott; great-grandson of Arnold and Lucy (Dunham) Lewis; great²-grandson of *Gideon Dunham,* private Fifth Regt. Conn. Line.

HORACE SIMPSON WILKINSON, Syracuse, N. Y. (22589). Son of John Gibbs and Mary Ann (Miller) Wilkinson; grandson of Elisha Freeman and Mary (Laughery) Wilkinson; great-grandson of *Edward Mott Wilkinson,* private, Capt. Benjamin Durkee's Company, Colonel McClellan's Conn. Regt., pensioned.

CHARLES MILLER WILLIAMS, Rochester, N. Y. (22647). Son of Charles Henry and Susan (Miller) Williams; grandson of Comfort and Lucy Williams; great-grandson of Eliel and Comfort (Morton) Williams; great²-grandson of *Elias Williams,* Captain Sixth Conn. Militia, 1777.

JESSE GUERNESY WILLIAMS, Syracuse, N. Y. (22095). Son of James Rhue and Jennie L. (Kenyan) Williams; grandson of George and Celia B. (Hitchcock) Kenyan; great-grandson of George W. and Sarah (Wentworth) Hitch-

cock; great²-grandson of Sylvanus and Anna (Freeman) Wentworth; great³-grandson of *Sylvanus Wentworth,* private, Col. Benj. Simonds's Regt. Mass. Militia.

CLARENCE EUGENE WOLCOTT, Syracuse, N. Y. (22649). Son of Oliver Cromwell and Esther Maria (Redner) Wolcott; grandson of Oliver Ellsworth and Eliza (Woodruff) Wolcott; great-grandson of Abithar and Mary (Warner) Wolcott; great²-grandson of *Samuel Wolcott,* Captain First Regt. Berkshire County Mass. Militia.

GEORGE MARVIN WOODCOCK, Buffalo, N. Y. (22577). Son of Frederick and Margaret Stewart (Fitch) Woodcock; grandson of Francis Bushnell and Eliza (Dean) Fitch; great-grandson of *Stewart Dean,* Commander of armed sloop "Beaver," Member of Albany County "Commission of Conspiracies."

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THADDEUS HENRY BLOUNT, Belhaven, N. C. (22780). Son of Reading and Mary Augusta (Windley) Blount; grandson of John Gray Reading Thomas and Polly Ann (Clark) Blount; great-grandson of Samuel and Rebecca (Foreman) Clark; great²-grandson of *Caleb* (and Elizabeth Bonner) *Foreman,* Lieutenant Eighth North Carolina Continental Regt.; great-grandson of *Reading Blount,* Major Fifth North Carolina Continental Regt.; great²-grandson of *Jacob Blount,* Paymaster for tht Army and Navy of North Carolina, Member of North Carolina Provincial Congress, 1775-1776; great³-grandson of *James Blount,* Colonel Beaufort County Militia.

BRYAN TRIPPE BONNER, Aurora, N. C. (22781). Son of Bryan Trippe and Clarissa Sparrow (Tripp) Bonner; grandson of John Young and Clarissa George Irving (Trippe) Bonner; great-grandson of Henry and Miriam (Young) Bonner; great²-grandson of *James Bonner,* Colonel of the Beaufort County North Carolina Regt.

HENRY MONTAGUE BONNER, Aurora, N. C. (22782). Son of John Bryan and Fannie Montague (Hooker) Bonner, Jr.; grandson of Charles William and Caroline P. (Redditt) Bonner; great-grandson of John Young and Elizabeth (Bryan) Bonner; great²-grandson of Henry and Miriam (Young) Bonner; great³-grandson of *James Bonner,* Colonel of the Beaufort County North Carolina Regt.

JOHN YOUNG BONNER, Aurora, N. C. (22783). Son of Henry and Rebecca Florence (Guilford) Bonner; grandson of John Young and Clarissa George Irving (Trippe) Bonner; great-grandson of Henry and Miriam (Young) Bonner; great²-grandson of *James Bonner,* Colonel of the Beaufort County North Carolina Regt.

KEMP PLUMMER BATTLE BONNER, Morehead City, N. C. (22784). Son of Robert Tripp and Rebecca (Tripp) Bonner; grandson of John Bryan and Mary Elizabeth (Tripp) Bonner; great-grandson of John Young and Elizabeth (Bryan) Bonner; great²-grandson of Henry and Miriam (Young) Bonner; great³-grandson of *James Bonner,* Colonel of the Beaufort County North Carolina Regt.

LEON DE CASTRO BONNER, Bonnerton, N. C. (22785). Son of John Bryan and Mary Elizabeth (Tripp) Bonner; grandson of John Young and Elizabeth (Bryan) Bonner; great-grandson of Henry and Miriam (Young) Bonner; great²-grandson of *James Bonner,* Colonel of the Beaufort County North Carolina Regt.

REDDEN LEWIS MYERS BONNER, Aurora, N. C. (22786). Son of Bryan Trippe and Clarissa Sparrow (Tripp) Bonner; grandson of John Young and Clarissa George Irving (Trippe) Bonner; great²-grandson of Henry and Miriam (Young) Bonner; great³-grandson of *James Bonner*, Colonel of the Beaufort County North Carolina Regt.

ROBERT TRIPP BONNER, Aurora, N. C. (22776). Son of John Bryan and Mary Elizabeth (Tripp) Bonner; grandson of John Young and Elizabeth (Bryan) Bonner; great-grandson of Henry and Miriam (Young) Bonner; great²-grandson of *James Bonner*, Colonel of the Beaufort County North Carolina Regt.; great-grandson of *Jesse Bryan*, Lieutenant Craven County, N. C., Company, 1776; grandson of Joseph and Sarah (Sparrow) Tripp; great-grandson of *Robert Tripp*, Delegate to the Halifax North Carolina Congress, November 12, 1776.

JOHN GOLDSMITH BRAGAW, Jr., Washington, N. C. (22787). Son of John Goldsmith and Annie Cambreleng (Hoyt) Bragaw; grandson of William and Anna (Townsend) Bragaw; great-grandson of *Richard Bragaw*, member of Woodhull's Cavalry operating on Long Island, prisoner on British ship.

STEPHEN CAMBRELENG BRAGAW, Washington, N. C. (22777). Son of John G. and Annie Cambreleng (Hoyt) Bragaw; grandson of Henry Churchill and Margaret Mutter (Blount) Hoyt; great-grandson of Eli and Mary Ann (Cambreleng) Hoyt; great²-grandson of Stephen and Ann (Patten) Cambreleng; great³-grandson of *John Patten*, Colonel Second North Carolina Continental Regt.

HENRY CLARK BRIDGERS, Tarboro, N. C. (22788). Son of John L. and Laura P. (Clark) Bridgers; grandson of Henry Toole and Mary Weeks (Parker) Clark; great-grandson of James West and Arabella (Toole) Clark; great²-grandson of Henry Irwin and Elizabeth (Haywood) Toole; great³-grandson of *William Haywood*, Member of State Congress at Halifax, N. C., in 1776, which formed the Constitution of North Carolina.

FRANK HAVENS BRYAN, Washington, N. C. (22789). Son of Carney John and Elizabeth Bryan (Bonner) Bryan; grandson of Charles William and Caroline P. (Redditt) Bonner; great-grandson of John Young and Elizabeth (Bryan) Bonner; great²-grandson of Henry and Miriam (Young) Bonner; great³-grandson of *James Bonner*, Colonel of the Beaufort County North Carolina Regt.

WILLIAM TRIPPE BRYAN, Sr., Aurora, N. C. (22790). Son of Joseph Bonner and Ann Bryan (Bonner) Bryan; grandson of John Young and Clarissa George Irving (Trippe) Bonner; great-grandson of Henry and Miriam (Young) Bonner; great³-grandson of *James Bonner*, Colonel of the Beaufort County North Carolina Regt.

OGDEN ELLERY EDWARDS, Blowing Rock, N. C. (22791). Son of Ogden E. and Catherine (Shepherd) Edwards; grandson of Thomas and Catherine (Tryon) Shepherd; great-grandson of Levi and Mary (Pomeroy) Shepherd; great²-grandson of *Seth Pomeroy*, Senior Brigadier-General of the Continental Armies.

WILLIAM BLOUNT HARDING, Washington, N. C. (22792). Son of Nathaniel and Mary Elizabeth (Hughes) Harding; grandson of Nathaniel and Elizabeth Ann (Patrick) Harding; great-grandson of *Israel Harding*, Sergeant Tenth North Carolina Continental Regt.

IRA MAY HARDY, Washington, N. C. (22832). Son of Jesse H. and Martha Ann (Stanton) Hardy; grandson of Washington May and Gatsy Truitt (Daniel) Stanton; great-grandson of James and Sallie (May) Stanton; great²-grandson of *Benjamin May*, First Major of Pitt Regt. of North Carolina, Member of Committee of Safety and of Provincial Congress.

FRANK CANNON KUGLER, Washington, N. C., (22793). Son of George Washington and Maria Jane (Bennett) Kugler; grandson of James and Eliza Bray (Rittenhouse) Kugler; great-grandson of Jonathan and Delilah (Bray) Rit-

tenhouse; great²-grandson of *Daniel Bray*, Captain Second Hunterdon County Regt. New Jersey Militia.

ANGUS DHU MacLEAN, Washington, N. C. (22833). Son of John Allen and Mary Virginia (Brown) MacLean; grandson of Sylvester Tillman and Elizabeth Ann (Bonner) Brown; great-grandson of Sylvester and Hannah (Holliday) Brown; great²-grandson of Nathaniel and Mehetable (Hubbard) Brown; great³-grandson of *George Hubbard*, Captain Second Regt. Conn. Line.

WILLIAM THOMAS MARSH, Belhaven, N. C. (22794). Son of Edward Stanley and Bettie Bonner (Eborn) Marsh; grandson of Samuel Clark and Polly Ann (Clark) Eborn; great-grandson of Samuel and Rebecca (Foreman) Clark; great²-grandson of Caleb and Elizabeth (Bonner) Foreman; great³-grandson of *James Bonner*, Colonel of Beaufort County North Carolina Regt.

EDWARD WARREN MYERS, Greensboro, N. C. (22795). Son of William Rodman and Lucy Wheelock (Warren) Myers; grandson of John Gray Blount and Mary Olivia Blount (Rodman) Myers; great-grandson of John and Mary Harvey (Blount) Myers; great²-grandson of *Reading Blount*, Major Fifth Regt. North Carolina Continental Line; great³-grandson of *Jacob Blount*, Member of North Carolina Provincial Congress, Paymaster of North Carolina Army and Navy.

JOHN CROOM RODMAN, Washington, N. C. (22796). Son of William Blount and Camilla (Croom) Rodman; grandson of William Wanton and Polly Ann (Blount) Rodman; great-grandson of *John Gray Blount*, Deputy Paymaster and Commissary North Carolina Troops; great²-grandson of *Jacob Blount*, Paymaster for the Army and Navy of North Carolina, Member of North Carolina Provincial Congress, 1775-1776.

WILLIAM BLOUNT RODMAN, Charlotte, N. C. (22797). Son of William Blount and Camilla (Croom) Rodman; grandson of William Wanton and Polly Ann (Blount) Rodman; great-grandson of *John Gray Blount*, Paymaster and Commissary North Carolina Troops; great²-grandson of *Jacob Blount*, Paymaster for the Army and Navy of North Carolina, Member of North Carolina Provincial Congress, 1775-1776.

THOMAS HADLEY SANDERS, Tarboro, N. C. (22831). Son of Willis T. and Ella (Moye) Sanders; grandson of Samuel H. and Sarah J. (Hadley) Moye; great-grandson of Thomas and Millicent (Richardson) Hadley; great²-grandson of Thomas and Margaret (Parker) Hadley; great³-grandson of *Thomas Hadley*, Captain North Carolina Light Horse, Member of North Carolina Provincial Congress.

LYNDON YOUNG SHAW, Washington, N. C. (22798). Son of Robert Bonner and Eliza Tripp (Bonner) Shaw; grandson of John Bryan and Mary Elizabeth (Tripp) Bonner; great-grandson of John Young and Elizabeth (Bryan) Bonner; great²-grandson of Henry and Miriam (Young) Bonner; great³-grandson of *James Bonner*, Colonel of Beaufort County North Carolina Regt.

CHARLES SMALLWOOD, Washington, N. C. (22799). Son of John Waller and Emily B. (Lucas) Smallwood; grandson of Samuel and Portia (Bonner) Smallwood; great-grandson of Henry Snode and Mary Htather (Burbage) Bonner; great²-grandson of *Henry Bonner*, Major of Beaufort County North Carolina Regt.

HARDY LEE THOMPSON, Aurora, N. C. (22800). Son of Benjamin Hardy and Sallie Tripp (Bonner) Thompson; grandson of Bryan Trippe and Clarissa Sparrow (Tripp) Bonner; great-grandson of John Young and Clarissa George Irving (Trippe) Bonner; great²-grandson of Henry and Miriam (Young) Bonner; great³-grandson of *James Bonner*, Colonel of Beaufort County North Carolina Regt.

EDWIN READE TRIPP, Blount Creek, N. C. (22826). Son of William Henry and Araminta Clementina (Guilford) Tripp; grandson of Joseph and Sarah (Sparrow) Tripp; great-grandson of *Robert Tripp*, Delegate to the Congress at Halifax, N. C., April 12, 1776.

FREDERICK HARDING VON EBERSTEIN, Chocowinity, N. C. (22827). Son of William Henry and Annis (Harding) von Eberstein; grandson of Nathaniel and Elizabeth Ann (Patrick) Harding; great-grandson of *Israel Harding*, Sergeant Tenth Regt. North Carolina Continental Line.

JOHN ARCHIBALD WEDDELL, Tarboro, N. C. (22829). Son of Matthew and Mary Matilda (Norcom) Weddell; grandson of James and Penelope Catherine (Hoskins) Norcom; great-grandson of Baker and Martha Ann (Skinner) Hoskins; great²-grandson of *Richard Hoskins*, Member of Chowan County Militia; his wife, Winifred Hoskins, was Secretary of the Edenton Tea Party, October 25, 1774.

JOHN ARCHIBALD WEDDELL, Jr., Tarboro, N. C. (22830). Son of John Archibald and Lossie Baker (MacNair) Weddell; grandson of Matthew and Mary Matilda (Norcom) Weddell; great-grandson of James and Penelope Catherine (Hoskins) Norcom; great²-grandson of Baker and Martha Ann (Skinner) Hoskins; great³-grandson of *Richard Hoskins*, Member of Chowan County Militia; his wife, Winifred Hoskins, was Secretary of the Edenton Tea Party, October 25, 1774.

NORTH DAKOTA SOCIETY.

CHARLES ELMER BATCHELLER, Fingal, N. Dak. (22774). Son of George Stillman and Eliza Ann (Lamphear) Batcheller; grandson of Joseph and Dorothy (Needham) Batcheller; great-grandson of Abraham and Rebecca (Dwight) Batcheller; great²-grandson of *Abraham Batcheller*, Captain Twelfth Company Fifth Worcester Regt. Mass. Militia.

REUBEN ALVINO BEARD, Fargo, N. Dak. (22757). Son of Philander C. and Hetty (Howard) Beard; grandson of Reuben and Eliza (Loveland) Beard; great-grandson of Aaron and Susanna (Chapman) Loveland; great²-grandson of *Elizur Loveland*, private, Colonel Wyllys's Conn. Regt., 1776, prisoner.

THEODORE DAY BECKWITH, Fargo, N. Dak. (22772). Son of Theodore G. and Jane S. (Day) Beckwith; grandson of Adonijah and Sophia E. (Titus) Day; great-grandson of Billy and Judith (Husted) Titus; great²-grandson of *David Husted*, Captain Fourth Albany County Regt. New York Militia.

ALFRED BLAISDELL, Minot, N. Dak. (22759). Son of Humphrey M. and Henrietta H. (Crosby) Blaisdell; grandson of Jonah and Mary Bradbury (Foss) Crosby; great-grandson of Oliver and Harriet (Chase) Crosby; great²-grandson of *Oliver Crosby*, Lieutenant Mass. Militia.

CHARLES GILBERT BOISE, Fargo, N. Dak. (22758). Son of Spencer W. and Celestia E. (Gould) Boise; grandson of Asa T. and Elmira (Tenney) Gould; great-grandson of John and Lucy (Twitchel) Goold; great²-grandson of *John Goold*, private, Capt. John Sessions's Company Vermont Militia and other service, pensioned.

WATSON E. BOISE, Jamestown, N. Dak. (22773). Son of Spencer W. and Celestia E. (Gould) Boise; grandson of Asa T. and Elmira (Tenney) Gould; great-grandson of John and Lucy (Twitchel) Goold; great²-grandson of *John Goold*, private, Maj. Ebenezer Allen's detachment Vermont Militia, pensioned.

WILLIAM J. CLAPP, Fargo, N. Dak. (22760). Son of George L. and Harriet M. (Fuller) Clapp; grandson of Joshua and Fanny (Smith) Clapp; great-grandson of *Joshua Clapp*, Lieutenant Mass. Militia.

JORDAN TYLER LYELL COATES, Rolette, N. Dak. (22761). Son of John B. and Elizabeth J. Coates; grandson of *William Coates*, private Second Virginia Regt.

CHARLES C. CREEGAN, Fargo, N. Dak. (22771). Son of Daniel and Mary Ann (McKee) Creegan; grandson of David H. and Mary (Reed) McKee; great-grandson of *John McKee*, Ensign First Cumberland County Battalion Penna. Militia.

GASHERIE DE WITT DOWLING, Fargo, N. Dak. (22763). Son of Joseph Ivimey and Mary Jane (Sheppard) Dowling; grandson of John and Mary Sampson (Perkins) Dowling; great-grandson of Rufus and Rebecca (Johnson) Perkins; great²-grandson of Thomas and Molly (Lathrop) Johnson; great³-grandson of *Isaac Johnson,* First Major Third Plymouth Company Regt. Mass. Militia.

HERBERT CLAY FISH, Bismarck, N. Dak. (22770). Son of Lorenzo Erasmus and Lucy A. (Starr) Fish; grandson of Ebenezer and Cynthia (Liscom) Starr; great-grandson of Timothy and Damaris (Nichols) Starr; great²-grandson of Samuel and Rhoda (Carpenter) Nichols; great³-grandson of *Benjamin Carpenter,* Lieutenant-Colonel Vermont Militia.

WILLARD BELA OVERSON, Williston, N. Dak. (22768). Son of Thomas and Marion Amanda (Allen) Overson; grandson of Bela and Sarah Bradbourne (Hovey) Allen; great-grandson of Bela and Naomi (Phelps) Allen; great²-grandson of *Elijah Phelps,* Corporal Fifth Regt. Conn. Line, pensioned.

CHARLES ANDREW POLLOCK, Fargo, N. Dak. (22765). Son of John and Eunice Elvira (Ellis) Pollock; grandson of Richard Ransom and Emily H. (Rice) Ellis; great-grandson of *William Ellis,* private, Lieut. Abisha Samson's Company Vermont Militia.

BURLEIGH FOLSOM SPALDING, Bismarck, N. Dak. (22551). Son of Benjamin Pendall and Ann (Folsom) Spalding; grandson of Noah and Phebe (Pendall) Spalding; great-grandson of *Benjamin* (and Azubah Gates) *Spalding,* private, Captain Paine's Company, Colonel Hazen's New Hampshire Regt., pensioned; great-grandson of *Jonathan Pendall,* Sergeant. Capt. Wm. Pearce's Company First Dutchess County Regt. New York Militia; great²-grandson of *Andrew Spalding,* private Mass. Continental Troops.

ROSCOE CONKLING SPALDING, Fargo, N. Dak. (22766). Son of Burleigh F. and Alida (Baker) Spalding; grandson of Benjamin Pendall and Ann (Folsom) Spalding; great-grandson of Noah and Phebe (Pendall) Spalding; great²-grandson of *Benjamin Spalding,* private, Captain Paine's Company, Colonel Hazen's New Hampshire Regt., pensioned; great²-grandson of *Jonathan Pendall,* Sergeant, Capt. William Pearce's Company First Dutchess County Regt. New York Militia; great³-grandson of *Andrew Spalding,* private Mass. Continental Troops.

CLARENCE DELOS SPAULDING, Fargo, N. Dak. (22769). Son of John and Helen (Lockwood) Spaulding; grandson of John Avery and Amanda (Tracy) Spaulding; great-grandson of *John Spaulding,* fifer, Capt. Samuel Ransom's Independent Company, Colonel Durkee's First Regt. Conn. Line; great²-grandson of *Simon Spaulding,* Captain First Regt. Conn. Line.

OHIO SOCIETY.

WILLIAM ROSS ALBAN, Steubenville, Ohio (22262). Son of John and Margaret J. (Warden) Alban; grandson of George and Nancy (Cox) Alban, Jr.; great-grandson of *George Alban,* private Eighth Virginia Regt., 1776, Commander-in-Chief's Guard, 1777, Express Rider, 1778.

HORACE NEWTON ALLEN, Toledo, Ohio (22960). Son of Horace and Jane M. (Silly) Allen; grandson of Heber and Anna (Hall) Allen; great-grandson of *Heber Allen,* private, Capt. Zeb. Dewey's Company Vermont Militia.

WILLARD E. ALLEN, Toledo, Ohio (21943). Son of Chas. W. and Ruth E. (Beach) Allen; grandson of Benjamin and Mary L. (Holcomb) Beach; great-grandson of Jedediah Holcomb, Jr.; great²-grandson of *Jedediah Holcomb,* Corporal Eighteenth Regt. Conn. Militia.

ELMER LAWRENCE ANDREWS, Montpelier, Ind. (Ohio 22260). Son of Daniel F. and Rebecca (Hoffman) Andrews; grandson of Nicholas and Elizabeth (Gotwalt) Hoffman; great-grandson of Andrew and Mary (Schmidt) Got-

walt; great²-grandson of *Jacob Gotwalt,* Sergeant, Capt. Simon Copenhafer's Company First York County Battalion Penna. Associators.

DAVID TOD ARREL, Youngstown, Ohio (21953). Son of George Francis and Grace (Tod) Arrel; grandson of David and Martha (Moore) Arrel; great-grandson of John and Margaret (Stewart) Arrel; great²-grandson of *David Arrel,* private Sixth Cumberland County Battalion Penna. Militia.

CHARLES R. BLISS, Cleveland, Ohio (22268). Son of Otis B. and Julia E. M. (Potter) Bliss; grandson of Benjamin and Amy (Bowen) Bliss; great-grandson of *Ephriam Bliss,* private, Captain Bliss's Company Mass. Militia; grandson of Olney and Mary (Richardson) Potter; great-grandson of *James Potter,* Captain of Minute Men, Col. Archibald Crary's Regt.

J. STURGUS BRADLEY, Toledo, Ohio (21945). Son of J. Morrison and Elizabeth (Beazelle) Bradley; grandson of Burr and Esther Williams (Plumer) Bradley; great-grandson of *Daniel Bradley,* Lieutenant Fifth Conn. Regt.

JOSEPH HENRY VAN DEMAN BUCK, Delaware, Ohio (22270). Son of Henrie E. and Jane (Glenn) Buck; grandson of Israel and Sarah Wilson (Van Deman) Buck; great-grandson of Edmund and Anna (Hubbell) Buck; great²-grandson of *Israel Buck,* private Dutchess County New York Militia; great²-grandson of Ephraim and Elizabeth (Collins) Hubbell; great³-grandson of *Benjamin Collins,* private, Colonel Van Rennselear's New York Regt.; great-grandson of Henry and Sarah Wilson (Darlington) Van Deman; great²-grandson of *John Van Deman,* private, Colonel Neville's Virginia Regt., pensioned; grandson of Isaac Drake and Martha Ann (McClellan) Glenn; great-grandson of Edmund Randolph and Jane (Hageman) Glenn; great²-grandson of Isaac and Elizabeth (Drake) Glenn; great³-grandson of *Isaac Drake,* private New Jersey Militia.

JOHN HINKLE BUHLMAN, Youngstown, Ohio (22955). Son of Ephraim and Rebecca (Buzard) Buhlman; grandson of Lewis and Margaret (Hinkle) Buhlman; great-grandson of *Anthony Hinkle,* Ensign Third Company Seventh York County Battalion Penna. Militia.

CHARLES HENRY CARROLL, Toledo, Ohio (22961). Son of Thomas R. and Glora Ann (Cary) Carroll; grandson of Joel and Harriet Wickham (Ransom) Cary; great-grandson of Russell and Lucrila (Wickham) Ransom; great²-grandson of *Joseph Ransom,* private First Regt. Conn. Line, pensioned.

COLIN REED CLARK, Youngstown, Ohio (22956). Son of James and Laura (Reed) Clark; grandson of Mathew and Anne (Reed) Clark; great-grandson of James and Jane (Anderson) Clark; great²-grandson of David and Hannah (Baird) Clark; great³-grandson of *James* (and Nancy Reed) *Clark,* Captain Lancaster County Penna. Associators; great⁴-grandson of *John Reed,* Captain Fourth Lancaster County Battalion Penna. Associators.

GARRET HAYES COLEMAN, Milo, Ohio (22258). Son of Garret F. and Louisa C. (Hixenbaugh) Coleman; grandson of Klitia and Rebecca (Workman) Coleman; great-grandson of Jesse and Mary Clawson (Whitney) Coleman, Jr.; great²-grandson of *Jesse Coleman,* private, Captain Durkee's Company Conn. Militia.

FRED DAVIS CONNOLLEY, Columbus, Ohio (22264). Son of Francis Simmons and Emma (Davis) Connolley; grandson of George and Sarah E. (Claypool) Davis; great-grandson of Charles and Elizabeth (Hays) Davis; great²-grandson of *James Davis,* Captain Third and Seventh Regts. Virginia Line.

ROBERT COWDEN, Dayton, Ohio (22958). Son of David and Elisabeth (Kitch) Cowden; grandson of Robert and Catharine (Stillwagon) Cowden; great-grandson of *Robert Cowden,* private, Captain Dunn's Company Penna. Militia.

EDWARD CHELLIS DAONST, Cleveland, Ohio (22253). Son of Charles J. and Mary (Hooker) Daonst; grandson of William Chellis and Mary (McQuary) Hooker; great-grandson of Harley and Mary (Beardslee) Hooker; great²-grandson of Increase Moseley and Lois (Wilcox) Hooker; great³-grandson of Wil-

liam and Mary (Moseley) Hooker; great⁴-grandson of *Increase Moseley*, Colonel Conn. Militia.

JOHN FREDERICK DEATRICK, JR., Defiance, Ohio (22962). Son of Charles Lytle and Grace (Harring) Deatrick; grandson of John Frederick and Nancy (Taylor) Deatrick; great-grandson of John Jacob Nicholas and Elizabeth (Boyer) Deatrick; great²-grandson of *Jacob Dietrick*, private Sixth Regt. Penna. Line.

ELDRIDGE GRISWOLD DYER, Cleveland, Ohio (21954). Son of Albion Morris and Ella Maria (Dunham) Dyer; grandson of Elbridge Gerry and Margaret Morris (Teyrer) Dyer; great-grandson of Thomas and Hepsibah (Whitney) Dyer; great²-grandson of *Jesse Whitney*, private Eighteenth Regt. Continental Foot and Eleventh Mass. Continental Infantry.

DANIEL G. FOX, Dayton, Ohio (22959). Son of Daniel C. and Elizabeth (Gehhart) Fox; grandson of Frederick C. and Hannah (Coffman) Fox; great-grandson of Daniel B. and Susan (Chrissman) Fox; great²-grandson of *Frederick Fox*, drummer Tenth Penna. Regt., 1777.

JULIAN ELIAS GROW, Cleveland, Ohio (22256). Son of P. Elias and Roxanna (Bigelow) Grow; grandson of Philander and Lydia (Story) Grow; great-grandson of Ezekiel and Lydia (Sprague) Story; great²-grandson of *Asa Story*, Ensign Fourth Battalion Wadsworth's Conn. Brigade.

JAMES KENT HAMILTON, Toledo, Ohio (21948). Son of Thomas and Sarah Olmstead (Staudart) Hamilton; grandson of George and Lucy (Williams) Staudart; great-grandson of *John Williams*, private, Capt. Abraham Wheeler's Company, Col. Lemuel Robinson's Mass. Regt.

EDWARD LANSING HARRIS, Cleveland, Ohio (22254). Son of David Franklin and Lucretia E. (Rowley) Harris; grandson of David and Julia (Taylor) Harris; great-grandson of *Asahel Harris*, private Vermont Militia; grandson of Isaac and Lois (Jackson) Rowley; great-grandson of *Daniel Rowley*, private, Colonel Humphrey's New York Regt., pensioned.

MONTGOMERY LOCKE HART, Akron, Ohio (22273). Son of Oliver Schinkel and Carrie (Locke) Hart; grandson of George and Jennie (Davis) Hart; great-grandson of Elipha and Eliza (Armstrong) Hart; great³-grandson of *Oliver Armstrong*, private, Capt. Samuel Potter's Company, Rhode Island Militia.

JAMES M. HENGST, Columbus, Ohio (22266). Son of Lewis and Lizzie Jeannette (McCleery) Hengst; grandson of James and Honora Calista (Wilson) McCleery; great-grandson of William and Rachel (Wells) Wilson; great²-grandson of *James Wells*, First Lieutenant Fourth Continental Artillery.

ROGER NEWTON JOHNSTON, Akron, Ohio (22252). Son of Samuel Newton and Hesper (Reifsnider) Johnston; grandson of John and Elizabeth R. (Newton) Johnston; great-grandson of Samuel and Eunice Park (Bill) Newton; great²-grandson of *Benajah Bill*, private Conn. Militia, pensioned.

LEWIS RAYMOND JUDSON, Toledo, Ohio (21947). Son of Lewis James and Helen (Hogue) Judson; grandson of Lindsey and Nancy Susan (Taylor) Hogue; great-grandson of Mark and Margaret (Amyx) Taylor; great²-grandson of *George Taylor*, private Third, Fifth, and Seventh Virginia Regts.

WILLIAM LEVIS JUDSON, Toledo, Ohio (21946). Son of Lewis James and Helen (Hogue) Judson; grandson of Lindsey and Nancy Susan (Taylor) Hogue; great-grandson of Mark and Margaret (Amyx) Taylor; great²-grandson of *George Taylor*, private Third, Fifth, and Seventh Virginia Regts.

THOMAS W. LATHAM, Monroeville, Ohio (21952). Son of Hiram and Mary Ann (Evans) Latham; grandson of Alexander Wolcott and Anna (Wood) Latham; great-grandson of Ebenezer and Elizabeth (Smith) Latham; great³-grandson of *Joseph Latham*, private, Captain Mott's Company Conn. Militia.

EDMUND GARFIELD LAUGHLIN, Euclid, Ohio (22255). Son of Cyrus and Mary Ann (Vaughn) Laughlin; grandson of Daniel and Phebe (Morey)

Vaughn; great-grandson of *John Morey*, private, Col. Henry Sherburne's and Col. Israel Angell's Rhode Island Regts.

SAMUEL HERRICK LAYTON, Columbus, Ohio (*22271*). Son of Francis Marion and Lucinda Prentice (Herrick) Layton; grandson of Samuel Prentice and Minerva (Hopkins) Herrick; great-grandson of Elijah and Lucinda (Prentice) Herrick; great²-grandson of *Samuel Prentice*, Lieutenant-Colonel Sixth Conn. Regt., 1775, and Tenth Regt. Conn. Line.

EDWARD DRUMMOND LIBBEY, Toledo, Ohio (*22257*). Son of William Langdon and Julia Amanda (Miller) Libbey; grandson of William and Sarahan (Hatch) Miller; great-grandson of Prince and Sarah (McIntyre) Hatch; great²-grandson of *Elisha Hatch*, First Lieutenant, Captain Hunter's Company, Third Lincoln County Regt. Mass. Militia.

GEORGE POPE MacNICHOL, Toledo, Ohio (*21944*). Son of Archibald and Delia H. (Burrall) MacNichol; grandson of Ovid and Rebecca (Turner) Burrall; great-grandson of Silas and Jane (Smith) Turner; great²-grandson of *Stephen Smith*, Captain Lincoln County Regt. Mass. Militia.

NICHOLAS PERKINS OGLESBY, Columbus, Ohio (*22265*). Son of Nicholas Perkins and Sallie Agnes (Crockett) Oglesby; grandson of Nicholas Perkins and Jane (Sayer) Oglesby; great-grandson of *John Thompson Sayers*, Lieutenant First Virginia Regt.

ROBERT B. POWERS, Delaware, Ohio (*22263*). Son of George W. and Mary E. (McKinnie) Powers; grandson of Robert and Margaret A. (Dunlap) McKinnie; great-grandson of John F. and Martha C. (McKinnie) Dunlop; great²-grandson of Josiah and Margaret (Celler) McKinnie; great³-grandson of *John McKinnie*, private Fourth Cumberland County Battalion Penna. Militia.

EMMETT HALL PRICE, Mansfield, Ohio (*22963*). Son of George F. and Bessie B. (Eddy) Price; grandson of Henry and Martha Jane (Adams) Hall; great-grandson of John and Jane (Rodgers) Adams; great²-grandson of Jacob and Catherine (Lintner) Adams; great³-grandson of *James Adams*, Captain Cumberland County Penna. Militia.

RICHARD S. QUINN, Washington C. H., Ohio (*22267*). Son of J. W. M. and Ann C. (Seymour) Quinn; grandson of Garrett and Sallie (McNeil) Seymour; great-grandson of *Abel Seymour*, private Virginia Rangers.

STANLEY N. SELLS, Columbus, Ohio (*21950*). Son of James H. and Cora (Needels) Sells; grandson of Francis Asbury and Mary (Walter) Sells; great-grandson of William H. and Elizabeth (Ebey) Sells; great²-grandson of Ludwick and Katherine (Deardorff) Sells; great³-grandson of *John Sells*, private Penna. Line; great²-grandson of George and Mary (Elebarger) Ebey; great³-grandson of *George Ebey*, private, Capt. Matthias Slough's Lancaster County Battalion Penna. Militia; grandson of Cyrus Fay and Eva (Ruckle) Needels; great-grandson of Thomas R. and Catherine Robinson (Warmsley) Ruckle; great²-grandson of John and Mary (Robinson) Warmsley; great³-grandson of *William Robinson*, Adjutant Ninth Virginia Regt.

HUGH E. SMITH, Denver, Colo. (Ohio *22272*). Son of Marshall and Elvira A. (Thrall) Smith; grandson of William Cooley and Mary Chase (West) Thrall; great-grandson of *Samuel* (and Tryphosa Cooley) *Thrall, Jr.*, private, Colonel Leonard's Mass. Regt.; great²-grandson of *William Cooley*, Captain, Colonel Moseley's Mass. Regt.; great²-grandson of *Samuel Thrall, Sr.*, Captain Third Hampshire County Regt. Mass. Militia.

JOSIAH WILSON SMITH, Ottawa, Ohio (*22274*). Son of Manley B. and Abigail (Pickerill) Smith; grandson of Josiah Wilson and Ellen (West) Pickerill; great-grandson of Samuel and Jane (Drake) Pickerill, Jr.; great²-grandson of *Samuel Pickerill*, private and drummer, Colonel Brent's Virginia Regt.

LOREN EDMUNDS SOUERS, Canton, Ohio (*21949*). Son of Enos Schlauch and Celestia May (Black) Souers; grandson of Franklin Rannels and Ange-

line (Sabin) Black; great-grandson of Guy and Lorana (Eaton) Sabin; great^3-grandson of *Levi Eaton*, Corporal New Hampshire and Mass. Troops, pensioned.

CHARLES FREDERICK TENNEY, Toledo, Ohio (22251). Son of Charles F. and Clara Belle (Reese) Tenney; grandson of Ralph Emerson and Phebe Conti (Smith) Tenney; great-grandson of *William Tenney*, private, Capt. Wm. Reid's Company, Colonel Baldwin's New Hampshire Regt.

LEWIS BLUME THOMPSON, Defiance, Ohio (22261). Son of Charles James and Anna Cora (Craig) Thompson; grandson of Samuel and Sarah (Nye) Craig; great-grandson of Joseph Brown and Sarah Ann (Matthews) Craig; great^2-grandson of Jacob and Susanna (Lowman) Matthews; great^3-grandson of *John Matthews*, private Third Maryland Regt., Col. Mordecai Gist.

EARL DARLINGTON VAN DEMAN, Delaware, Ohio (22269). Son of William Llewellyn and Romie Vinton (Baldwin) Van Deman; grandson of Henry and Sarah Wilson (Darlington) Van Deman; great-grandson of *John Van Deman*, private, Colonel Neville's Virginia Regt., pensioned; grandson of Chauncey and Mary Hickey (Holter) Baldwin; great-grandson of William and Lucinda (Ladd) Baldwin; great^2-grandson of *Ashbel Ladd*, private, Capt. Daniel Gilbert's Company Vermont Militia.

CHARLES HENRY WHITAKER, Toledo, Ohio (22259). Son of John Hall and Frances Elvira (Grosvenor) Whitaker; grandson of Stephen and Mary (Hall) Whitaker; great-grandson of *Stephen Whitaker*, Lieutenant, Capt. Jacob Ten Eyck's Company First Battalion New Jersey Volunteers.

DUDLEY WALKER WILSON, Girard, Ohio (22957). Son of Hugh P. and Thalia (Hine) Wilson; grandson of Abraham Skinner and Mary (Gibson) Hine; great-grandson of Homer and Mary (Skinner) Hine; great^2-grandson of *Noble Hine*, Captain, Colonel Canfield's Regt. Conn. Militia; great^2-grandson of *Abraham Skinner*, private, Capt. John Harmon's Company Fourth Conn. Line; great-grandson of Robert D. and Lydia (Marshall) Gibson; great^2-grandson of *James Gibson*, Captain of Rangers, Cumberland and Northumberland Counties, Pa.

OKLAHOMA SOCIETY.

GUY ELLIOT BLACKWELDER, Oklahoma City, Okla. (18973). Son of Martin Luther and Emma (Elliot) Blackwelder; grandson of Peter and Nellie (Scherer) Blackwelder; great-grandson of *Isaac Blackwelder*, Sergeant, Col. George Alexander's North Carolina Regt.

MARTIN LUTHER BLACKWELDER, Oklahoma City, Okla. (18975). Son of Peter and Nelly (Scherer) Blackwelder; grandson of *Isaac Blackwelder*, private, Col. George Alexander's North Carolina Regt.

WILLIAM LAFAYETTE CRITTENDEN, Stigler, Okla. (18970). Son of William L. and Laura Lee (Amiss) Crittenden; grandson of John L. and Susan James (Eustace) Crittenden; great-grandson of John and Louisa (Boteler) Eustace; great^2-grandson of Isaac and Susanna (James) Eustace; great^3-grandson of *William Eustace*, Lieutenant, Col. W. Blackwell's Virginia Regt.; grandson of Richard L. and Mary Catharine (Henry) Amiss; great-grandson of Hiram Lorenzo and Emily Elizabeth (Young) Amiss; great^2-grandson of Benjamin G. and Mary Elizabeth (Williams) Young; great^3-grandson of *William Williams*, First Lieutenant Thirteenth Virginia Regt.

ANDREW BARRITT GALLOWAY, Oklahoma City, Okla. (18972). Son of Harrison Andrew and Katherine Eliza (Reigart) Galloway; grandson of Andrew and Mary (Collins) Galloway; great-grandson of *James Galloway*, private Fourth Regt. Continental Light Dragoons, Col. Stephen Moylan, pensioned.

WILLIAM EDWARD GORDON, Tulsa, Okla. (18974). Son of Seth Reed and Frances Eliza (Torrence) Gordon; grandson of John and Catherine (Foster)

Torrence; great-grandson of *John Torrence*, Sergeant Cumberland County Penna. Militia.

TRUMAN GILES HOYT, Cordell, Okla. (18971). Son of Albert Olandro and Mary Eunice (Giles) Hoyt; grandson of Braman Fitch and Eunice (Folger) Giles; great-grandson of Ephraim and Esther (Pratt) Giles; great²-grandson of *Ebenezer Giles*, private, Colonel Bailey's Second Mass Regt., 1779, and other service.

OREGON SOCIETY.

ROBERT HURD BLOSSOM, Portland, Ore. (21394). Son of James Monroe and Elizabeth Louise (Gates) Blossom; grandson of Ansel and Mercy (Ladd) Blossom; great-grandson of *James Blossom*, First Lieutenant Mass. Coast Guards.

HERBERT GEORGE CHICKERING, Portland, Ore. (21398). Son of Herman J. and Alice G. (Chickering) Futerer; grandson of George Hopkins and Esther Ann (Marsh) Chickering; great-grandson of Elliott and Ruth (Wilson) Chickering; great²-grandson of *John Chickering*, Sergeant, Col. James Frye's Mass. Regt.

HARRY M. COURTRIGHT, Portland, Ore. (21399). Son of Morris L. and Emeline (Holmes) Courtright; grandson of Harry and Emeline (Day) Holmes; great-grandson of John and Adaline (Sage) Day; great²-grandson of Solomon and Sallie (Whiting) Day; great³-grandson of *Isaac Whiting*, private, Colonel Sprout's Mass. Regt.

HENRY WASHBURN GODDARD, Portland, Ore. (22652). Son of Anson W. and Sophronia (Lindsley) Goddard; grandson of Elihu and Elizabeth (Gardner) Lindsley; great-grandson of Henry and Hannah (Allen) Gardner; great²-grandson of *Gilbert Allen*, private New Jersey Militia.

ROBERT JAMES GORDON, Portland, Ore. (21395). Son of James Douglas and Mary Mercy (Blossom) Gordon; grandson of James Monroe and Elizabeth Louise (Gates) Blossom; great-grandson of Ansel and Mercy (Ladd) Blossom; great²-grandson of *James Blossom*, First Lieutenant Mass. Coast Guards.

EDWARD DANIEL KINGSLEY, Portland, Ore. (21388). Son of George Pomeroy and Harriet (Swift) Kingsley; grandson of Daniel and Betsey (Pomeroy) Kingsley; great-grandson of Gamaliel and Mary (Tyler) Pomeroy; great²-grandson of Lemuel Pomeroy; great³-grandson of *Seth Pomeroy*, Brigadier-General Continental Army.

CHARLES LEVI MASTICK, Portland, Ore. (21396). Son of Edwin Baird and Lucretia Mary (Wood) Mastick; grandson of Benjamin and Eliza (Tomlinson) Mastick, Jr.; great-grandson of *Benjamin Mastick*, private, Colonel Ward's and Colonel Brooks's Mass. Regts.

EDWIN MAYS, Portland, Ore. (21400). Son of Robert and Lodemma Mays; grandson of Elijah and Mary B. Mays; great-grandson of Robert and Sarah D. Mays; great²-grandson of *Benjamin Mays*, private, Captain Bellinger's Company Virginia Militia.

JOHN LANGDON RAND, Baker City, Ore. (21389). Son of J. Sullivan and Elvira W. (Odiorne) Rand; grandson of Reuben and Olive Rand; great-grandson of David Rand; great²-grandson of *Ephraim Rand*, private, Capt. Richard Shortridge's New Hampshire Company.

LEWIS ALTON ROGERS, Portland, Ore. (21392). Son of Lewis and Lucy (Ellsworth) Rogers; grandson of Henry D. and Rebecca Rogers; great-grandson of Ransford Rogers; great²-grandson of Joseph and Eleanor Rogers; great³-grandson of *Joseph Rogers*, private First Company Sixth Conn. Regt.; grandson of Samuel and Martha Rose (Putnam) Ellsworth; great-grandson of Joseph and Sarah Amelia Ellsworth; great²-grandson of *Henry Ellsworth*, private Second Ulster County Regt. New York Militia.

VALENTINE MOTT CUYLER SILVA, Portland, Ore. (21397). Son of Francis Jean and Hester Walgrove Silva (name changed from Pierre to Silva); grandson of *Jean Ignace Pierre*, Third Lieutenant La Fere Regt. French Artillery,

detached to American Army as Captain of Artillery Oct. 21, 1776, returned to French service Sept., 1778.

FRANK HERON SPEARS, Portland, Ore. (21390). Son of William B. and Minnie B. (Clark) Spears; grandson of Alpheus and Augusta P. (Gibbs) Clark; great-grandson of Wm. Leech and Margaret or Peggy (Rouse) Clark; great²-grandson of *John Rouse,* Captain New York Troops, pensioned.

LOUIS E. SWETLAND, Mt. Tabor, Ore. (21393). Son of Edwin Payson and Laurestine Woodruff (Quimby) Swetland; grandson of Daniel and Polly (Woodruff) Quimby; great-grandson of Lot and Hanna (Miller) Woodruff; great²-grandson of *Oliver Woodruff,* private, Colonel Wooster's and Colonel Bradley's Conn. Regts.

EUGENE VICTOR THOMPSON, Portland, Ore. (21391). Son of Hubert A. and Celeste (Oliver) Thompson; grandson of Palmer Young and Clara Oliver; great-grandson of Wm. and Mary (Spraigue) Oliver; great²-grandson of *William Oliver,* private, Col. Samuel McCobb's and other Mass. Regts.

PENNSYLVANIA SOCIETY.

GEORGE WASHINGTON ACKLIN, Pittsburgh, Pa. (22450). Son of Thomas Jefferson and Mary Jane Acklin; grandson of George K. and Elizabeth Acklin; great-grandson of *Joseph Acklin,* private Virginia Troops.

DAVID JOHN ADAMS, Pittsburgh, Pa. (22428). Son of David and Eliza (McMahon) Adams; grandson of William and Elizabeth (Blair) Adams; great-grandson of John and Ann (Chambers) Adams; great²-grandson of *James Adams,* Captain Fifth Cumberland County Battalion Penna. Militia.

WILLIAM JAMES ASKIN, Jr., Pittsburgh, Pa. (23079). Son of William James and Margaret Lucinda (Kent) Askin; grandson of Jacob and Mary Jane (Shepherd) Kent; great-grandson of John and Jane (Dupui) Watson; great²-grandson of *Nicholas Dupui,* Member of General Assembly of Pennsylvania.

ABNER CLARKE BANE, Pittsburgh, Pa. (22439). Son of John Ferguson and Martha (Post) Bane; grandson of William Atkinson and Margaret (Lindley) Post; great-grandson of Jeremiah and Martha (Cracraft) Post; great²-grandson of *Charles Cracraft,* Major in George Rogers Clark's Indian Expedition of 1781.

ROBERT DUNCAN CARSON, Philadelphia, Pa. (21888). Son of Thomas Duncan and Mary Eliza (Hunt) Carson; grandson of Charles and Mary Gould (Fogg) Hunt; great-grandson of *Oliver Hunt,* Lieutenant, Colonel Vose's Mass. Regt.

WILLIAM HENRY CHAMBERS, McKeesport, Pa. (21891). Son of John and Ellen Chambers; grandson of William and Lydia Chambers; great-grandson of *John Chambers,* private Penna. Troops, pensioned.

ANDREW LINN COYLE, Oil City, Pa. (22433). Son of David Scott and Mary Mathilda (Longwell) Coyle; grandson of James and Keziah (Geiger) Longwell; great-grandson of *William Longwell,* private, Colonel Hollingsworth's Penna. Regt., pensioned; great-grandson of David and Martha (Linn) Coyle; great²-grandson of *William Linn,* Chaplain Fifth Penna. Battalion.

HUSTEAD A. CROW, Fresno, Cal. (Pa. 22434). Son of Isaac B. and Delilah (Clemmer) Crow; grandson of Alexander and Sarah Ann (Hustead) Crow; great-grandson of Alexander and Eliza Ruth (Maxwell) Hustead; great²-grandson of *Robert Hustead,* Sergeant Penna. Troops, pensioned.

JOHN CALVIN CUNNINGHAM, Belle Vernon, Pa. (21893). Son of James and Rosanna (Muir) Cunningham; grandson of William and Mary (Gallaher) Cunningham; great-grandson of *James Cunningham,* private, Captain Calhoun's Company Penna. "Flying Camp."

OLIVER DIEHL, Amber, Pa. (22427). Son of Samuel and Elizabeth Diehl; grandson of John and Elizabeth Diehl; great-grandson of Jacob and Barbara

Diehl; great²-grandson of *Frederick Diehl,* private Bucks County Battalion Penna. Militia.

AMERICUS ENFIELD, Bedford, Pa. (21900). Son of George and Delilah (Findlay) Enfield; grandson of Samuel and Mary (Shockey) Findlay; great-grandson of *Christian Shockey,* private Eleventh Penna. Regt., pensioned.

ROBERT MERTON EWING, Wilkinsburg, Pa. (22441). Son of James Henry and Eleanor (Rhea) Ewing; grandson of Isaac and Elizabeth (Caruthers) Rhea; great-grandson of Richard Ewing and Eleanor (Findley) Caruthers; great²-grandson of *Richard Caruthers,* Adjutant Second Cumberland County Battalion New Jersey Militia; great²-grandson of *William Findley,* Captain Eighth Battalion Cumberland County Penna. Militia.

GEORGE LITTLE FOLLANSBEE, Pittsburgh, Pa. (22437). Son of Gilbert and Maria Jackson (Haynes) Follansbee; grandson of John and Elizabeth (Haynes) Follansbee; great-grandson of *Thomas Haynes,* private, Col. Moses Little's Mass. Regt.; grandson of Benjamin and Betsey (Hunting) Haynes; great-grandson of *Amos Hunting,* private Dedham Company Mass. Militia.

GEORGE WILSON GOSSER, Pittsburgh, Pa. (21894). Son of Henry and Deliahah (Wilson) Gosser; grandson of James and Marjory (Means) Wilson; great-grandson of Robert and Ann (McGill) Means; great²-grandson of *James McGill,* private, Captain Butler's Company Westmoreland County Penna. Militia.

ROBERT BRUCE GREER, Butler, Pa. (22445). Son of John Morgan and Julia Stebbins (Butler) Greer; grandson of John Baker and Harriet Newell (Stebbins) Butler; great-grandson of Elizur Goodwin and Polly (Marshall) Butler; great²-grandson of *Isaac Butler,* private, Col. Heman Swift's Conn. Regt.; great³-grandson of *Samuel Stone Butler,* Second Lieutenant Conn. Militia.

THOMAS CAMPBELL GRIGGS, Bellevue, Pa. (22442). Son of Joseph Franklin and Eliza Buchanan (Brooks) Griggs; grandson of John and Mary (Thurston) Griggs; great-grandson of *Thomas Griggs, Jr.,* Corporal, Captain Dagget's (Sutton) Company Mass. Minute Men; great-grandson of *Thomas Griggs, Sr.,* private, Col. Lemuel Robinson's Mass. Regt.; great-grandson of Nathan and Sallie (Campbell) Thurston; great²-grandson of *Alexander Campbell,* Member of Mass. Provincial Congress at Concord.

HENRY HAROLD KERSHNER, Reading, Pa. (22429). Son of W. J. and Emma Gorden (Weiser) Kershner; grandson of Jacob and Mary (Löwenberg) Kershner; great-grandson of John and Rebecca (Kerby) Löwenberg; great²-grandson of *Frederick Löwenberg,* private Second Penna. Regt., Sergeant Berks County Militia.

SAMUEL BLACK LINHART, Pittsburgh, Pa. (21899). Son of Daniel and Elizabeth McCullogh (Black) Linhart; grandson of Samuel and Jane (Mansperger) Black; great-grandson of John and Rachel (Long) Mansperger; great²-grandson of *George Long,* Captain First York County Battalion Penna. Militia.

ALBERT MILLER LONG, Pittsburgh, Pa. (23077). Son of David Miller and Elizabeth (Vemer) Long; grandson of Joseph and Sarah (Miller) Long; great-grandson of *William Long,* Captain Fourth Company Eighth Cumberland County Battalion Penna. Associators.

WINFIELD HEARD McDOWELL, Uniontown, Pa. (21887). Son of James Edward and Anna Margaret (Heard) McDowell; grandson of George M. and Elizabeth Rosanna (Kyle) McDowell; great-grandson of Joseph and Janet (McFarlane) Kyle; great²-grandson of *James McFarlane,* First Lieutenant First Regt. Penna. Line.

GEORGE FRANK McEWEN, Pittsburgh, Pa. (22440). Son of William B. and Josephine (Upperman) McEwen; grandson of George Washington and Mary (Jope) McEwen; great-grandson of John and Margaret (Bradley) McEwen; great²-grandson of *John McEwen,* Ensign and Quartermaster New Jersey Troops.

CHARLES ALFRED MARTIN, Coraopolis, Pa. (22438). Son of Samuel and Maria (Cooper) Martin; grandson of John and Sarah (Agnew) Cooper; great-grandson of *Robert Agnew,* private Fourth Penna. Battalion, Col. Anthony Wayne.

EDWARD BERNARD MATHIOT, Pittsburgh, Pa. (22432). Son of Henry Bernard and Rebecca Ruth (Brownfield) Mathiot; grandson of *George Mathiot,* Sergeant First Lancaster County Battalion Penna. Militia.

GEORGE KEITER MILES, Pittsburgh, Pa. (21892). Son of Edwin and Susan Evans (Jones) Miles; grandson of Nathaniel and Sarah (Philips) Miles; great-grandson of *Josiah Philips,* Second Lieutenant Second Company Seventh Chester County Battalion Penna. Militia; grandson of Jesse and Elizabeth (Frick) Jones; great-grandson of John and Catharine (Grumbacher) Frick; great^2-grandson of *Peter Grumbacher,* Member of Chester County Committee of Safety.

HENRY HULL NEGLEY, Grafton, Pa. (22436). Son of Felix C. and Margaret (Dickson) Negley; grandson of *John Negley,* private Penna. Associated Battalions and Militia.

ALEXANDER JEFFREY PENTECOST, Pittsburgh, Pa. (22448). Son of John D. and Susan (Jeffrey) Pentecost; grandson of Dorsey and Swearingen Pentecost; great-grandson of *Dorsey Pentecost,* Member of Supreme Executive Council of Pennsylvania, 1781, 1783.

CHARLES ROSS, Pittsburgh, Pa. (22444). Son of Samuel Brison and Emma (McCosh) Ross; grandson of Joshua and Margaret (Emmet) Ross; great-grandson of *Thomas Ross,* private Proctor's Regt. Penna. Artillery Continental Line.

WALTER LAMB SHEPPARD, Pittsburgh, Pa. (22435). Son of Robert J. and Lizzie L. (Buhoup) Sheppard; grandson of John L. and Susannah (Andrews) Buhoup; great-grandson of John L. and Mary Ann (Barteton) Buhoup; great^2-grandson of William and Christina (Fry) Barteton; great^3-grandson of *Michael Fry,* private Eighth Cumberland County Battalion Penna. Militia.

GEORGE FRANK SLOCUM, Pittsburgh, Pa. (23076). Son of J. Frank and Lena May (Green) Slocum; grandson of George W. and Rhoda Cary Courtlandt (Mantor) Slocum; great-grandson of Samuel and Mary Gardiner (Sherman) Slocum; great^2-grandson of *Henry Sherman,* Captain and Ensign Rhode Island Regulars.

WILLIAM TUCKER, Pittsburgh, Pa. (23078). Son of Thomas and Elizabeth (Higgins) Tucker; grandson of Levi and Catherine Tucker; great-grandson of *George Tucker,* private, Capt. David Crane's Company Mass. Militia, pensioned.

EDWIN BURKET TWITMYER, Philadelphia, Pa. (21889). Son of George W. and Joanna C. (Reese) Twitmyer; grandson of Christian and Elizabeth (Evans) Reese; great-grandson of *Elieasor Evans,* private, Captain Hallman's Company Second Chester County Battalion Penna. Militia.

GEORGE R. WALLACE, Pittsburgh, Pa. (22446). Son of William L. and Elizabeth R. Wallace; grandson of John and Elizabeth (Baird) Wallace; great-grandson of *William B. Wallace,* Second Lieutenant, Capt. Nathaniel Mitchell's Company, Col. William Grayson's Virginia Continental Regt.

WILLIAM PARKINSON WARNE, Washington, Pa. (22447). Son of James and Elizabeth Mary (Dumm) Warne; grandson of James and Mary (Parkinson) Warne; great-grandson of *Joseph Parkinson,* Justice of the Peace of Washington County, Pa., Supply Agent under Col. George Morgan.

FRANCIS ALLAN WHEELER, Mercer, Pa. (22443). Son of Frank A. and June Everett (Siggins) Wheeler; grandson of Amos and Mary Elizabeth (Fuller) Wheeler; great-grandson of Samuel and Hannah (King) Wheeler; great^3-grandson of *Jonas King,* Corporal, Capt. Nathan Ward's Company, Colonel Wells's Mass. Regt.

HERBERT COLEMAN WHITAKER, Philadelphia, Pa. (21890). Son of Franklin and Lydia Leaming (Ross) Whitaker; grandson of John and Sarah Moore (Hand) Ross; great-grandson of Jonathan and Sarah (Moore) (Wilson) Hand; great²-grandson of *Nathaniel Moore*, Sergeant, Third Hunterdon County Regt. New Jersey Militia.

CHARLES E. WRENSHALL, Washington, Pa. (22431). Son of Edward and Elizabeth J. (Ryan) Wrenshall; grandson of John F. and Mary A. (Cowan) Wrenshall; great-grandson of Christopher and Eliza M. (Kirkpatrick) Cowan; great³-grandson of *Abraham Kirkpatrick*, Captain Eighth Virginia Regt.

JOHN F. WRENSHALL, Washington, Pa. (22430). Son of Edward and Elizabeth J. (Ryan) Wrenshall; grandson of John F. and Mary A. (Cowan) Wrenshall; great-grandson of Christopher and Eliza M. (Kirkpatrick) Cowan; great²-grandson of *Abraham Kirkpatrick*, Captain Eighth Virginia Regt.

JAMES HARVEY WRIGHT, Pittsburgh, Pa. (22440). Son of Daniel and Sarah (Murdock) Wright; grandson of Samuel and Mary (Conner) Murdock; great-grandson of Cornelius and Conrad Conner; great²-grandson of *Cornelius Conner*, Sergeant Thirteenth Virginia Regt.

PHILIPPINE SOCIETY.

JOHN R. ARNOLD, Manila, P. I. (22810). Son of Zenas S. Arnold; grandson of Isaiah F. Arnold; great-grandson of William Arnold; great²-grandson of *William Arnold,* private, Capt. Seth Turner's (Independent) Company Mass. Militia.

CHARLES K. BRADBURY, Legaspi, Albay, P. I (22811). Son of William H. and Clara C. (Adams) Bradbury; grandson of Ebenezer and Mary (Tappan) Bradbury; great-grandson of Theophilus and Lois (Pilsbury) Bradbury; great²-grandson of *Joshua Pilsbury*, private, Capt. Moses Little's Company Mass. Militia, Lexington Alarm.

ROBERT CHRISTIE COTTON, U. S. Army, Manila, P. I. (22812). Son of Chester and Mary Elizabeth (Christie) Cotton; grandson of Robert James and Sarah (Nixon) Christie; great-grandson of Jonathan W. and Julia Nixon; great²-grandson of Joel and Hannah (Milbourne) Nixon; great⁴-grandson of *John Nixon*, private Tenth Virginia Regt.

CLIFFORD CABELL EARLY, U. S. Army, Manila, P. I. (22814). Son of John Cabell and Mary Washington (Cabell) Early; grandson of Clifford and Margaret Couch (Anthony) Cabell; great-grandson of Frederick and Alice (Winston) Cabell; great²-grandson of *John Cabell*, Chairman of Buckingham Committee, 1775, Member of Virginia Convention of 1776.

JUBAL ANDERSON EARLY, U. S. Army, Manila, P. I. (22813). Son of John Cabell and Mary Washington (Cabell) Early; grandson of Clifford and Margaret Couch (Anthony) Cabell; great-grandson of Frederick and Alice (Winston) Cabell; great²-grandson of *John Cabell*, Chairman of Buckingham Committee, 1775, Member of Virginia Convention of 1776.

H. LAWRENCE NOBLE, Manila, P. I. (22815). Son of Joseph Harvey and Harriet (Lawrence) Noble; grandson of Evert (Wynkoop) and Eliza (Van Wagenen) Lawrence; great-grandson of Merchant and Sarah (Wynkoop) Lawrence; great²-grandson of *Hezekiah Wynkoop*, private First Ulster County Regt. New York Militia.

RHODE ISLAND SOCIETY.

RICHARD LEWIS CALDER, Providence, R. I. (21573). Son of Charles Granville and Florence (Nightingale) Calder; grandson of John Lewis and Julia Francis (Eddy) Calder; great-grandson of *Barnard Eddy*, private Conn. Militia, Captain Conn. Navy, pensioned.

ROBERT FOSTER CHAMBERS, Providence, R. I. (21565). Son of William Spicer and Annie Andrews (Foster) Chambers; grandson of John and Ellen Louise (Andrews) Foster; great-grandson of John Adams and Lucretia (Cady) Foster; great²-grandson of Abel and Mary (Tucker) Foster; great³-grandson of *Timothy Foster, Jr.*, Lieutenant Fifth Worcester County Regt. Mass. Militia.

CHARLES E. FAIRBANKS, Providence, R. I. (10365). Son of Charles F. and Mary Priscilla (Mead) Fairbanks; grandson of Franklin T. and Susan Johnson Cony (Steawart) Fairbanks; great-grandson of Columbus and Lydia Wood (Tinkham) Fairbanks; great²-grandson of *Nathaniel Fairbanks*, private, Capt. Samuel McCobb's Company, Col. John Nixon's Fifth Mass. Regt.

GEORGE LEWIS FALES, Edgewood, R. I. (21564). Son of Lewis Lazell and Jane Taylor (Osborn) Fales; grandson of Obadiah Perry and Sarah (Taylor) Osborn; great-grandson of David and Sarah (Perry) Osborn; great²-grandson of *Samuel Osborn*, First Lieutenant, Col. Jonathan Reed's Regt. Mass. Militia.

WILLIAM IVES JAMES, Providence, R. I. (21560). Son of Hazard and Emeline (Potter) James; grandson of Jonathan and Ruth (Barber) James; great-grandson of *James Barber*, private Rhode Island Troops, pensioned.

FRANK MANLEY MASON, Providence, R. I. (21571). Son of William C. and Ellen A. (Fargo) Mason; grandson of George S. and Betsey (Clarke) Mason; great-grandson of William and Sally (Hamilton) Clarke; great²-grandson of *Thomas Clarke*, Major Second Regt. Rhode Island Militia.

ELISHA CAPRON MOWRY, Providence, R. I (21567). Son of Elisha Capron and Hannah (Richardson) Mowry; grandson of Harris Jenks and Fanny Capron (Scott) Mowry; great-grandson of William and Susanna Mowry; great²-grandson of *Elisha Mowry*, Lieutenant-Colonel Second Regt. Providence County Militia.

GEORGE HARWOOD NEWHALL, Providence, R. I (21568). Son of George H. and Mary Catharine (Harwood) Newhall; grandson of Napthali and Catharine (Tripp) Newhall; great-grandson of *Napthali Newhall*, private and drummer, Colonel Baldwin's Mass. Regt.

SUMMER OLDTHWAIT RAND, Providence, R. I. (21566). Son of Edward Gillett and Carrie Sayles (Summer) Rand; grandson of Albert Tyler and Sophia A. (Chadwick) Rand; great-grandson of Jasper Raymond and Lucy (Whipple) Rand; great²-grandson of *Jasper Rand*, private, Col. Jonathan Smith's and other Mass. Regts., pensioned.

CHARLES LEVECK STEERE, Harrisville, R. I. (21551). Son of Syria and Sallie (Taft) Steere; grandson of Simeon and Mary (Walker) Steere; great-grandson of *Jonah Steere*, Member of Rhode Island Recruiting Committee.

CLARENCE MANN STEVENS, Providence, R. I (21572). Son of Albert Eugene and Florence Bowen (Mann) Stevens; grandson of Caleb Smith and Huldah (Turner) Mann; great-grandson of Stephen and Huldah (Colwell) Turner; great²-grandson of *Stephen Colwell*, private Rhode Island Militia, pensioned.

FREDERICK WHEATON TILLINGHAST, Pawtucket, R. I (21552). Son of Pardon E. and Ellen F. (Paine) Tillinghast; grandson of John and Susan Caroline (Avery) Tillinghast; great-grandson of Pardon and Mary (Sweet) Tillinghast; great²-grandson of *Charles Tillinghast*, Recruiting Officer, Rhode Island.

GARDNER BILLINGS WILLIS, Providence, R. I. (21563). Son of Joseph W. and Susan (Billings) Willis; grandson of Samuel and Dorcas (Clarke) Billings; great-grandson of Jonathan and Rachael Gardner (Pool) Clarke; great²-grandson of *Thomas Pool*, private, Col. Benjamin Lincoln's Regt. Mass. Minute Men; great²-grandson of *Atkins Clarke*, Corporal, Capt. Eliphalet Sawin's Company Mass. Militia; great-grandson of Amasa and Eunice (Billings) Billings; great²-grandson of *Jonathan Billings*, private, Colonel Gill's and Colonel Jacobs's Mass. Regts.; great³-grandson of *Benjamin Billings*, Lieutenant, Col-

onel Brooks's Seventh Mass. Regt.; great²-grandson of *Daniel Billings*, father of Eunice, private, Col. Benjamin Gill's and Col. Lemuel Robinson's Mass. Regts.

SOUTH CAROLINA SOCIETY.

JAMES BRADNER ALLISON, Yorkville, S. C. (23326). Son of Robert Turner and Martha Barnett (Clinton) Allison; grandson of Joseph and Mary (Barnett) Clinton; great-grandson of *Peter Clinton*, Captain South Carolina Troops under General Williamson, widow pensioned.

JAMES BRADNER ALLISON, Jr., U. S. Army, Yorkville, S. C. (23327). Son of James Bradner and Susan Baldwin (Meek) Allison; grandson of Robert Turner and Martha Barnett (Clinton) Allison; great-grandson of Joseph and Mary (Barnett) Clinton; great²-grandson of *Peter Clinton*, Captain South Carolina Troops under General Williamson, widow pensioned.

SAMUEL CHANDLER BAKER, Sumter, S. C. (23328). Son of Charles Richard Furman and Mary Jacqueline (Burch) Baker; grandson of Thomas and Rachel (Furman) Baker; great-grandson of *Richard Furman*, patriot preacher; great²-grandson of *Wood Furman*, Representative from Camden District in South Carolina Legislature, 1781.

WILLIAM SMITH BEAN, Clinton, S. C. (23329). Son of Joseph Sanborn and Harriet Craig (Smith) Bean; grandson of Josiah and Olive (Sanborn) Bean; great-grandson of *Josiah Bean*, private, Colonel Badger's and Colonel Stickney's New Hampshire Regts.

WILLIAM PRIESTLY CONYERS, Greenville, S. C. (23330). Son of Samuel Edward and Mary (Oliver) Conyers; grandson of John and Mary S. R. (McCauley) Conyers, Jr.; great-grandson of John and Margaret Riley (Pendergrass) Conyers; great²-grandson of *James Conyers, Jr.*, Major South Carolina Troops, killed at Battle of "Round O," 1783; great³-grandson of *James Conyers, Sr.*, Major South Carolina Troops.

JOHN CARROLL COULTER, Columbia, S. C. (23331). Son of John S. and Sarah A. (Harman) Coulter; grandson of Franklin and Orpha M. (Isenhour) Harman; great-grandson of John Daniel and Mary M. (Killian) Harman; great²-grandson of George and Elizabeth (Eslinger) Harman; great³-grandson of *William Harman*, drummer, Col. Wm. R. Lee's Mass. Regt.

GUY BUTLER FOSTER, Greenville, S. C. (23332). Son of Richard M. and Elise (Butler) Foster; grandson of Pickens P. and Arsinoe (Jeter) Butler; great-grandson of William and Jane Tweedy (Perry) Butler; great²-grandson of *William Butler*, Captain South Carolina Mounted Rangers, served in Count Pulaski's Cavalry Squadron.

JAMES WALTER GRAY, Jr., Greenville, S. S. (23333). Son of James Walter and Lillie (Vance) Gray; grandson of James Kincaid and Laurens (Walcott) Vance; great-grandson of Samuel and Eliza (Kincaid) Vance; great²-grandson of *James Kincaid*, Captain South Carolina Troops under General Marion.

PAUL TRAPIER HAYNE, Greenville, S. C. (23334). Son of Isaac William and Alicia Pauline (Trapier) Hayne; grandson of William Edward and Eloise (Brevard) Hayne; great-grandson of *Isaac Hayne*, Colonel of Colleton County Regt. South Carolina Militia; grandson of Paul and Alicia (Shubrick) Trapier; great-grandson of *Paul Trapier*, Member of Committee of Safety, Captain of Artillery; great-grandson of *Alexander Brevard*, Captain and Quartermaster North Carolina Continental Troops; great-grandson of *Thomas Shubrick*, Colonel Fifth South Carolina Regt.

DAVID ARNOLD HENNING, Greenville, S. C. (23335). Son of Isaac Loveland and Mary (Arnold) Henning; grandson of Ira and Mary (Saxon) Arnold; great-grandson of *Lewis Saxon*, Captain, Colonel Williams's South Carolina Regt.

OSCAR KERN MAULDIN, Greenville, S. C. (23337). Son of William L. and Eliza Thompson (Kern) Mauldin; grandson of John F. and Eliza Williams (Earle) Kern; great-grandson of Robertson and Eliza (Thompson) Earle; great^2-grandson of Waddy and Eliza Blackburn (Williams) Thompson; great^3-grandson of *James Williams,* Captain Sixth Virginia Regt., 1778.

JOHN HENRY O'NEALL, Greenville, S. C. (23339). Son of G. P. and Virginia O'Neall; grandson of Henry and Mary (Shaw) O'Neall; great-grandson of *Robert Shaw,* private Fourth North Carolina Regt.

WILLIAM MOORE SMOAK, Aiken, S. C. (23341). Son of John H. and Florence E. (Vann) Smoak; grandson of John H. and Sallie (Golson) Smoak; great-grandson of John Lewis and Elizabeth (Robinson) Golson; great^2-grandson of John Casper Golson; great^3-grandson of *Lewis Golson,* Major, Col. William Thompson's Regt. South Carolina Militia.

JAMES MIMS SULLIVAN, Greenville, S. C. (23342). Son of James Madison and Sarah (Scott) Sullivan; grandson of *Hewlet Sullivan,* private Georgia and South Carolina Militia, prisoner.

JOHN STEWART TAYLOR, Greenville, S. C. (23343). Son of George Edwyn and Emma (Hard) Taylor; grandson of James Henry and Eliza Ann (Tyler) Taylor; great-grandson of James and Elizabeth (Taylor) Taylor; great^2-grandson of John and Elizabeth (Terry) Taylor; great^3-grandson of *Eldad Taylor,* Member of Mass. Provincial Congress, died while acting as Governor in 1777; great^3-grandson of *Nathaniel Terry,* Major Mass. Militia at Lexington Alarm, Color Bearer Nineteenth Mass. Regt.

HENRY KEITH TOWNES, Greenville, S. C. (23344). Son of George Franklin and Mary Isabella (Keith) Townes; grandson of William Laffoon and Mary Elizabeth Brown (Reid) Keith; great-grandson of Cornelius and Mary (Laffoon) Keith; great^2-grandson of *Cornelius Keith,* Corporal Fifth South Carolina Regt.

SOUTH DAKOTA SOCIETY.

GEORGE SHELDON ADAMS, Yankton, So. Dak. (22852). Son of Francis David and Jane (Ashley) Adams; grandson of Alanson Sheldon and Persis (Pond) Ashley; great-grandson of William and Sarah (Sheldon) Ashley; great^2-grandson of *William Ashley,* Lieutenant, Capt. Enoch Noble's Company Mass. Militia.

CHARLES OLIN BAILEY, Sioux Falls, So. Dak. (22853). Son of Joseph Mead and Anna (Olin) Bailey; grandson of Aaron and Maria (Braman) Bailey, Jr.; great-grandson of Aaron and Mary (Winchester) Bailey; great^2-grandson of *Jonathan Winchester,* private, Col. David Gilman's New Hampshire Regt.

THEODORE MEAD BAILEY, Sioux Falls, So. Dak. (22854). Son of Charles Olin and Mary (Swan) Bailey; grandson of Joseph Mead and Anna (Olin) Bailey; great-grandson of Aaron and Maria (Braman) Bailey, Jr.; great^2-grandson of Aaron and Mary (Winchester) Bailey; great^3-grandson of *Jonathan Winchester,* private, Col. David Gilman's New Hampshire Regt.

FRANK LEVI BLACKMAN, Sioux Falls, So. Dak. (22867). Son of George W. and Sarah C. (Thrall) Blackman; grandson of Harvey and Livy Thrall; great-grandson of Worthy and Sarah (Phelps) Thrall; great^2-grandson of *Samuel Thrall,* Quartermaster Third Hampshire County Regt. Mass. Militia.

GEORGE THRALL BLACKMAN, Sioux Falls, So. Dak. (22868). Son of George W. and Sarah C. (Thrall) Blackman; grandson of Harvey and Livy Thrall; great-grandson of Worthy and Sarah (Phelps) Thrall; great^2-grandson of *Samuel Thrall,* Quartermaster Third Hampshire County Regt. Mass. Militia.

JAMES WALTER CONE, Sioux Falls, So. Dak. (22874). Son of Beebe Stewart and Lucinda (Davison) Cone; grandson of Jared and Hannah (Beebe) Cone; great-grandson of *Stewart Beebe,* private, Capt. Daniel Caldwell's Company, Col. Timothy Robinson's Hampshire County Mass. Regt.

ROSCOE EDWIN CONE, Mitchell, So. Dak. (22873). Son of James Walter and Emily M. (Staples) Cone; grandson of Beebe Stewart and Lucinda (Davison) Cone; great-grandson of Jared and Hannah (Beebe) Cone; great²-grandson of *Stewart Beebe,* private, Capt. Daniel Caldwell's Company, Col. Timothy Robinson's Hampshire County Mass. Regt.

THEODORE WILLIAM DWIGHT, Sioux Falls, So. Dak. (22851). Son of Edward Woolsey and Elizabeth (Foote) Dwight; grandson of Benjamin Woolsey and Sophia Woodbridge (Strong) Dwight; great-grandson of *Timothy Dwight,* Chaplain, General Parson's Conn. Brigade.

CALVIN H. FRENCH, Huron, So. Dak. (22856). Son of Charles P. and Mary (Brown) French; grandson of Josiah and Mary (Faris) Brown; great-grandson of Adam Faris; great²-grandson of *William Faris,* private, Captain Bentley's Company Third and Fourth Virginia Regts.

PERRETT FRANKLIN GAULT, Sioux Falls, So. Dak. (22871). Son of Franklin B. and Jennie (Perrett) Gault; grandson of Joseph and Sarah Hanford (Brown) Perrett; great-grandson of Thomas and Harriet N. (Jewett) Brown; great²-grandson of Benjamin and Lucretia (Richardson) Jewett; great³-grandson of *Ichabod Jewett,* private, Capt. Elias Buell's Company Conn. Militia.

ROBERT FLOYD KERR, Brookings, So. Dak. (22870). Son of Andrew Jackson and Nancy (Sayers) Kerr; grandson of Samuel and Nancy (Gwynn) Kerr; great-grandson of *John Kerr,* private, James Hamilton's Company First Penna. Regt.

LUCIUS KINGSBURY, Sioux Falls, So. Dak. (22857). Son of Joseph and Amelia (Reynolds) Kingsbury, Jr.; grandson of *Joseph Kingsbury,* Corporal, Capt. Eleazer Hutchinson's Company, Colonel Hosford's Regt. Conn. Militia; grandson of *Charles Reynolds,* private, Capt. James Horton's Company Conn. Militia, widow pensioned.

WALTER REYNOLDS KINGSBURY, Sioux Falls, So. Dak. (22858). Son of Joseph and Amelia (Reynolds) Kingsbury, Jr.; grandson of *Joseph Kingsbury,* Corporal, Capt. Eleazer Hutchinson's Company, Colonel Hosford's Regt. Conn. Militia; grandson of *Charles Reynolds,* private, Capt. James Horton's Company Conn. Militia, widow pensioned.

SAMUEL ERNEST LINTON, Jr., Sioux Falls, So. Dak. (22872). Son of Samuel Ernest and Mary Frances (Mac Rae) Linton; grandson of Samuel and Eliza (Vallume) Linton; great-grandson of Edward Perry and Rachel (Soper) Vallume; great²-grandson of *Leonard Vallume,* private, Capt. John Peyton's Company Third Virginia Regt.

HAYWARD MARSHALL, Sioux Falls, So. Dak. (22859). Son of Eugene and Lizzie (Williams) Marshall; grandson of Hayward and Almira (Wild) Marshall; great-grandson of Hayward and Olive (Hayward) Marshall; great²-grandson of *Joseph* (and Olive Manley) *Hayward,* private Bristol County Mass. Militia; great³-grandson of *Daniel Manley,* private, Nathan Packard's Company, Maj. Eliphalet Cary's Mass. Regt.

FRANK M. MILLS, Sioux Falls, So. Dak. (22860). Son of Dan and Janet (Westfall) Mills; grandson of *Jacob Westfall,* Lieutenant, Colonel Crocket's Virginia Regt., pensioned.

JOSEPH GREELEY PARSONS, Sioux Falls, So. Dak. (22861). Son of Seth T. and Mary (Greeley) Parsons; grandson of Joseph and Nancy (Hovey) Greeley; great-grandson of *Noah Greeley,* private, Capt. Nathan Brown's Company, Colonel Long's New Hampshire Regt.

EDWIN LUCIEN PERKINS, Sioux Falls, So. Dak. (22862). Son of Loring Augustus and Julia (Morrill) Perkins; grandson of Hiram and Elizabeth Twombley (Drown) Perkins; great-grandson of Stephen and Sarah (Gray) Drown; great²-grandson of *Samuel Drown,* private, Col. John Langdon's Company of Light Horse Volunteers of New Hampshire.

ROBERT AUGUSTUS PERKINS, Sioux Falls, So. Dak. (22863). Son of Loring Augustus and Julia (Morrill) Perkins; grandson of Hiram and Elizabeth Twombley (Drown) Perkins; great-grandson of Stephen and Sarah (Gray) Drown; great²-grandson of *Samuel Drown,* private, Col. John Langdon's Company of Light Horse Volunteers of New Hampshire.

WILLIAM GOVE PORTER, Sioux Falls, So. Dak. (22864). Son of Amos Phelps and Mercy Eastman (Gove) Porter; grandson of Enos L. and Mercy (Eastman) Gove; great-grandson of *Samuel Eastman,* private, Col. John Stark's New Hampshire Regt.

BENSON H. REQUA, Sioux Falls, So. Dak. (22865). Son of James D. and Nancy L. (Miner) Requa; grandson of Gabriel and Abigail (Tuttle) Requa; great-grandson of Daniel and Aeltie (Acker) Requa; great²-grandson of *Glode Requa,* Captain New York Militia, Member of Committee of Safety, prisoner in New York Sugar House.

ROLLIN JOHN WELLS, Sioux Falls, So. Dak. (22866). Son of Lake and Harriet R. Wells; grandson of Rinnah and Rachel Wells; great-grandson of *Daniel Wells,* private, Captain Mix's Company, Colonel Moseley's Conn. Regt.

TENNESSEE SOCIETY.

LELAND HUME, Nashville, Tenn. (19838). Son of William and Mary (Leland) Hume; grandson of Alfred and Louise (Bradford) Hume; great-grandson of *John Bradford,* private, Capt. Thomas Berry's Company Eighth Virginia Regt.

TEXAS SOCIETY.

JOHN STREET HOOVER, Houston, Texas (20764). Son of Wm. and Mattie L. Y. (Thompson) Hoover; grandson of Alexander and Dorothy Pryor (Wormack) Thompson; great-grandson of Alexander and Eunice (Strickland) Thompson; great²-grandson of *Alexander Thompson,* private Georgia Militia.

WILLIAM CLENDENIN ROBERTSON BOLDRIDGE, Chattanooga, Tenn. (Texas 20765). Son of Benjamin F. and Nannie (Myers) Boldridge; grandson of Robert C. and Mary (Harrison) Myers; great-grandson of David and Phœby (Mills) Myers; great²-grandson of *Jacob Myers,* Major South Carolina Troops.

SAMUEL PETTIGREW ANCKER, Denison, Texas (20766). Son of Samuel Pettigrew and Catherine (Hyams) Ancker; grandson of Adolph and Hettie (Pettigrew) Ancker; great-grandson of *James Pettigrew,* Lieutenant Eleventh Regt. Penna. Line.

UTAH SOCIETY.

JOSEPH WILLIS BISHOP, Provo, Utah (19323). Son of Joseph and Laura (Baldwin) Bishop; grandson of William C. and Phœbe (Sheldon) Baldwin; great-grandson of Jere and Caty (Lanfare) Sheldon; great²-grandson of Asher and Hannah (Rogers) Sheldon; great³-grandson of *Asher Sheldon,* private, Col. Charles Webb's Conn. Regt.

WILLIAM DAVID BRENNAN, Superior, Wyo. (Utah 22529). Son of W. D. and Laura C. (Smith) Brennan; grandson of Elisha B. and Lucinda (Minor) Smith; great-grandson of Thomas and Sally (Boardman) Smith; great²-grandson of Jonathan and Priscilla (Safford) Boardman; great³-grandson of *Joseph Boardman,* Captain Second Company, or Train Band, Eighth Regt. Conn. Militia.

MORSE STEWART DUFFIELD, Salt Lake City, Utah (19324). Son of Henry M. and Frances (Pitts) Duffield; grandson of Samuel and Sarah (Merrill) Pitts; great-grandson of Thomas and Elizabeth (Mountfort) Pitts; great²-grandson of *Samuel Pitts,* Officer of Hancock Cadets, Boston, Mass.; great³-grandson of *James Pitts,* Member of Mass. Council.

EDWIN ALBERT LITTLEFIELD, Ogden, Utah (22526). Son of Albert Gallatin and Susan (Bateman) Littlefield; grandson of Jairus and Alathea (Elderkin) Littlefield; great-grandson of John Booth and Lydia (Denison) Elderkin; great²-grandson of *Joshua Elderkin*, Commissary Conn. Militia.

JAMES HENRY MARTINEAU, Salt Lake City, Utah (19322). Son of John and Eliza (Mears) Martineau; grandson of James and Lois (Sprague) Mears; great-grandson of *John Mears*, Sergeant, Capt. Joseph Boynton's Company, Col. Nathaniel Wade's Mass. Regt.

LYMAN ROYAL MARTINEAU, Salt Lake City, Utah (19325). Son of James Henry and Susan Julia (Sherman) Martineau; grandson of John and Eliza (Mears) Martineau; great-grandson of James and Lois (Sprague) Mears; great²-grandson of *John Mears*, Sergeant, Capt. Joseph Boynton's Company, Col. Nathaniel Wade's Mass. Regt.

ALFRED HOLMES PEABODY, Salt Lake City, Utah (22527). Son of Alfred S. and Catharine Barr (Holmes) Peabody; grandson of Alfred and Jerusha (Tay) Peabody; great-grandson of Nathan and Hannah (Stickney) Peabody; great²-grandson of *Jedediah Stickney*, Second Lieutenant Essex County Mass. Militia.

ELIAS ASAHEL SMITH, Salt Lake City, Utah (22530). Son of Elias and Lucy (Brown) Smith; grandson of Asahel and Elizabeth (Schellenger) Smith; great-grandson of Asahel and Mary (Duty) Smith; great²-grandson of *Samuel Smith*, Chairman of Committee of Safety at Topsfield, Mass.

VERMONT SOCIETY.

HENRY A. BABBITT, Montpelier, Vt. (21064). Son of Ancil C. and Sarah Parkhurst (Willson) Babbitt; grandson of Otis and Mary (Parkhurst) Willson; great-grandson of *Benjamin Parkhurst*, private, Capt. Joseph Parkhurst's Company Vermont Militia.

JUSTIN SAMUEL LEACH, Hyde Park, Vt. (21065). Son of Chester Keyes and Ann Augusta (Montague) Leach; grandson of Samuel and Hannah (Thomas) Montague; great-grandson of *Rufus Montague*, private, Capt. William Hutchins's Company Vermont Militia.

EDWARD HOWE PROUTY, Montpelier, Vt. (21063). Son of Elon Howe and Jane L. (Dow) Prouty; grandson of Luther and Hepzibah (Howe) Prouty; great-grandson of *Uriah Howe*, private, Colonel Nichols's Regt. New Hampshire Militia.

ALLEN JARVIS SPRAGUE, Hartford, Vt. (21066). Son of Israel Gillett and Elizabeth (Matthews) Sprague; grandson of Jedidiah and Athela (Gillett) Sprague; great-grandson of *Philip Sprague*, private, Col. Samuel Fletcher's Battalion Vermont Militia.

VIRGINIA SOCIETY.

JOHN BAGBY, Richmond, Va. (18598). Son of Alfred and Sarah Jane (Pollard) Bagby; grandson of John and Juliet (Jeffries) Pollard; great-grandson of *Joseph Pollard*, Sergeant Continental Army, pensioned.

ROBERT MILLER JEFFRESS, Richmond, Va. (18597). Son of Thomas F. and Kate Lee (Miller) Jeffress; grandson of John Green and Anne Catherine Miller; great-grandson of Henry and Elizabeth (Crigler) Miller; great²-grandson of John and Nancy (Hitt) Miller; great³-grandson of *Peter Hitt*, private Virginia Infantry Continental Line.

CLARENCE PORTER JONES, Newport News, Va. (18595). So of John Robert and Ann Elizabeth Blackwell (Manson) Jones; grandson of Robert Blackwell and Betsy (Blackwell) Jones; great-grandson of Robert and Christiania (Blackwell) Jones; great²-grandson of Stephen and Anna (Claiborne) Jones; great³-grandson of *Thomas Jones*, private, Col. Daniel Morgan's Virginia Regt.

EDWARD THOMAS JONES, Bristol, Va. (18596). Son of Richard W. and Cornelia (Thurman) Jones; grandson of Benjamin Stephen and Jane (Jeffries) Jones; great-grandson of Stephen and Anna (Claiborne) Jones; great^2-grandson of *Thomas Jones,* private, Col. Daniel Morgan's Virginia Regt.

HARRY TALMAN MOORE, Richmond, Va. (18599). Son of Josiah Staunton and Jane Ellen Moore; grandson of James Robert and Maria (Higgins) Moore; great-grandson of Josiah and Elizabeth (Pollard) Higgins; great^2-grandson of Robert and Nancy (Talman) Pollard; great^3-grandson of William and Elizabeth (Hewlett) Talman; great^4-grandson of Henry and Ann (Ballard) Talman; great^5-grandson of *William Ballard,* private, Colonel Dudley's Command of Virginia Militia, killed at Charles City Court House, Va., January 8, 1781, during Tarleton's Raid.

HENRY ROBINSON POLLARD, Richmond, Va. (22977). Son of John and Juliet (Jeffries) Pollard; grandson of *Joseph Pollard,* Sergeant Continental Army, pensioned.

HENRY ROBINSON POLLARD, JR., Richmond, Va. (22976). Son of Henry Robinson and Jessie (Gresham) Pollard; grandson of John and Juliet (Jeffries) Pollard; great-grandson of *Joseph Pollard,* Sergeant Continental Army, pensioned.

JAMES JEFFRIES POLLARD, Richmond, Va. (18600). Son of Henry Robinson and Jessie (Gresham) Pollard; grandson of John and Juliet (Jeffries) Pollard; great-grandson of *Joseph Pollard,* Sergeant Continental Army, pensioned.

WASHINGTON SOCIETY.

W. COURTNEY BAKES, Tacoma, Wash. (22208). Son of William Courtney and Mary Hope (Earley) Bakes; grandson of James C. and Deborah (Clark) Early; great-grandson of Jeremiah and Matilda de Ford (Donohue) Clark; great^2-grandson of *Jeremiah Clark,* Lieutenant Essex County New Jersey Militia.

DWIGHT CLARK DOUGLASS, Spokane, Wash. (22209). Son of Richard Draper and Mary Abby (Lawrence) Douglass; grandson of Ephraim Appleton and Clara Pamela (Buttrick) Lawrence; great-grandson of Ebenezer and Abigail (Leavitt) Lawrence; great^2-grandson of *Thomas Leavitt,* Quartermaster, Col. Stephen Evans's New Hampshire Regt.

CHRISTOPHER WILLIAM HORR, Seattle, Wash. (21000). Son of Leonard and Harriet (Latshaw) Horr; grandson of Isaac and Nancy (Smith) Horr; great-grandson of *Robert* (and Sarah Reed) *Hoar,* Sergeant, Captain Pierce's Company Mass. Militia; great^2-grandson of *William Reed,* private, Capt. Isaac Wood's Company, Col. Theophilus Cotton's Mass. Regt.

THOMAS MACOUGHTRY JUDSON, Tacoma, Wash. (22205). Son of Edward Birdseye and Grace Lee (Macoughtry) Judson; grandson of Charles Overfield and Chloe (Rust) Judson; great-grandson of Charles and Sarah (Tracey) Rust; great^2-grandson of *Ebenezer Kingsley Rust,* private, Col. Seth Murray's Conn. Regt.; great^2-grandson of *Lemuel Rust,* Lieutenant, Col. Ezra May's Conn. Regt.

FRANK MORRISON MARCH, Spokane, Wash. (22207). Son of Nelson and Mary J. (Morrison) March; grandson of George and Hannah (Nelson) March; great-grandson of *John March,* Second Lieutenant, Col. James Reed's New Hampshire Regt.

ARTHUR H. PALMER, Spokane, Wash. (22201). Son of Elisha and Eliza (Miner) Palmer; grandson of *Elisha Palmer,* private, Col. Jonathan Latimer's Conn. Regt., pensioned.

ROBINSON DRAKE PIKE, Seattle, Wash. (22204). Son of Robinson D. and Eva (Johnson) Pike; grandson of Hiram E. and Lucinda (McArthur) Johnson; great-grandson of Jonathan and Susan (Burwell) Johnson; great^2-grandson of *Windsor Johnson,* private Eastern Battalion New Jersey Militia.

WILLIAM H. SWITZLER, Umatilla, Ore. (Wash. 22203). Son of John B. and Mary A. (Smoot) Switzler; grandson of John and Mariah (Robinson) Switzler; great-grandson of Joseph and Peggie (Boyd) Robinson; great^2-grandson of *William Robinson, Jr.,* private Second North Carolina Regt.; great^3-grandson of *William Robinson, Sr.,* private Tenth North Carolina Regt.

JOSEPH S. THOMAS, Tacoma, Wash. (22206). Son of Joseph S. and Martha Bennet (Olmsted) Thomas; grandson of John Olmsted; great-grandson of *David Olmsted,* Captain, Col. Roger Enos's Conn. Regt.

CHARLES HERVEY WILBUR, Seattle, Wash. (22210). Son of Hervey B. and Harriet (Holden) Wilbur; grandson of Josiah and Martha (Wetherbee) Holden; great-grandson of *Moses Holden,* private, Col. Nathan Sparhawk's Mass. Regt.

WISCONSIN SOCIETY.

JOHN WESLEY CARTER, Racine, Wis. (20070). Son of Samuel Wesley and Ellen Rebecca (Wilson) Carter; grandson of John and Rebecca (Tift) Wilson; great-grandson of *Asa Wilson,* private Conn. Troops, pensioned.

WYOMING SOCIETY.

SAMUEL ALLAN BRISTOL, Cheyenne, Wyo. (20034). Son of Leverett and Sarah N. (Field) Bristol; grandson of Anson and Achsah (Benton) Field; great-grandson of Benjamin and Lucy (Murray) Field; great^2-grandson of *David Field,* private, Capt. Daniel Hand's Company, Colonel Talcott's Conn. Regt.

FRANK LINCOLN MOORE, Cheyenne, Wyo. (20033). Son of Merritt and Mary A. (Wright) Moore; grandson of Luther and Milly (Foster) Wright; great-grandson of Jonathan and Hannah (Cutter) Foster; great^2-grandson of *James Foster,* private, Col. Moses Nichols's New Hampshire Regt.; great^2-grandson of *Benjamin Cutter,* private, Col. Enoch Hale's New Hampshire Regt.; great-grandson of Abner and Anna (Hunt) Wright; great^2-grandson of *Edward* (and Thankful Brown) *Wright,* Lieutenant, Captain Minot's Company Third Middlesex Mass. Regt.; great^3-grandson of *Ephraim Brown,* fifer, Capt. James Russell's Company, Colonel Brooks's Mass. Regt.; great^2-grandson of *Nehemiah Hunt,* private Mass. Militia; grandson of Hiram and Eunice (Hutchinson) Moore; great-grandson of *Solomon Hutchinson,* private Albany County New York Militia, Member of Committee of Safety.

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